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## **BURNT SWAMP BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**

**North Carolina**

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**October 12, 1967 and Piney Grove Church**  
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### BURNT SWAMP BAPTIST ASSOCIATION ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS

C. W. Maynor, <i>Moderator</i> .....	Pembroke
F. H. Epps, <i>Vice-Moderator</i> .....	R-3, Lumberton
J. L. Carter, <i>Clerk and Treasurer</i> .....	Pembroke
Sanford Locklear, <i>Reading Clerk</i> .....	Pembroke
Welton Lowry, <i>Historian</i> .....	Pembroke
Purnell Swett, <i>State Convention Gen. Board Member</i> .....	Rowland

### COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

F. H. Epps, Miss Anna Mae Locklear, Grady Chavis, Miss Margaret Locklear, Rev. T. M. Swett, Rev. Grady Cummings.

### RESOLUTION COMMITTEE

Rev. J. E. Hammonds, Russell Locklear, James E. Chavis.

### FINANCE COMMITTEE

John E. Cummings, Newman Oxendine, Norman Hammonds, Ted A. Locklear, James B. Locklear, Rev. Winfred Locklear, Bowman Freeman, Rev. James D. Dial, Rev. Graham Warriax.

### MISSIONS COMMITTEE

Rev. C. S. Warriax, Delton R. Locklear, Rev. Chesley Hammonds, Tommie D. Swett, Rev. Sanford Locklear, Josephus Locklear.

### CALENDAR COMMITTEE

Rev. Welton Lowry, Delton R. Locklear, Miss Anna Mae Locklear, Tommie D. Swett, Rev. A. A. Lockee, Josephus Locklear.

### CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE

F. H. Epps, Purnell Swett, Rev. Dawley Maynor.

### MEMBERSHIP ON PETITION COMMITTEE

Rev. Roy Maynor, James B. Chavis, Grady Holmes.

### CAMP COMMITTEE

Rev. Lawrence P. Hardy, Miss Anna Mae Locklear, Mrs. Jessie Maynor, Albert Hammonds, Josephus Locklear, Edward Sampson.

### PROGRAM COMMITTEE

Marshall Locklear, Purnell Swett, Dr. English E. Jones.

### TIME AND PLACE COMMITTEE

Rev. C. E. Locklear, Roscoe Jacobs, Rev. Harvey Brewington.

**ENROLLMENT MESSENGER'S COMMITTEE**

Mrs. Albert Hammonds, Mrs. J. L. Carter, Mrs. Zeb Lowry.

**OBITUARY COMMITTEE**

Rev. L. A. Maynor, Rev. Rufus Burns, Rev. Delton Morgan.

**ADVISORY BOARD**

Rev. L. W. Jacobs, Rev. Coolidge Cummings, Rev. A. A. Lockee, Curtis Oxendine, Albert Hammonds.

**TRUSTEES**

Rev. L. W. Jacobs, Rev. C. E. Locklear, J. L. Carter.

The first person named on each committee will serve as chairman.

**Baptist Homes for the Aging** ----- James Brewington

**B. S. U. Work** ----- Rev. L. P. Hardy

**N. C. Baptist Hospital** ----- Quinnie Hunt

**N. C. Baptist Children's Homes** ----- Rev. Chesley Hammonds

## CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

1967

**November**

- 6-12 R. A. Week
- 7 Preachers and Deacons—Berea
- 14-16 Baptist State Convention—  
Winston-Salem
- 14 B.T.U. Asso. Officers and  
Leaders Council—First Baptist  
Pembroke
- 20, 27 Childrens Home Offering

**December**

- 5 M-Night—Berea
- 4 Sunday School Planning Meet-  
ing—Harper's Ferry 3:00
- 4-11 Week of Prayer—Foreign Mis-  
sion—Harper's Ferry
- 21 Carol Sing
- 25 Student Night
- 31 Watch Night

**January**

- 1 Soul Winning Commitment all  
churches
- 2-5 Bible Study—Amos
- 7 Brotherhood Meeting—Berea
- 20 Burnt Swamp Executive  
Meeting—Mt. Airy
- 22 Baptist Men's Day
- 28 Union—Island Grove
- 29 W.M.U. Ex. Board—Reedy  
Branch

**February**

- 6 Preachers and Deacons—Deep  
Branch
- 6-8 Greensboro State Evangelistic  
Conference
- 13 B.T.U. Officers and Leaders  
Council—Harper's Ferry
- 12-18 Y.W.A. Week
- 19 Offering for Aging
- 20-22 Association Evangelistic Con-  
ference to be Announced

**March**

- 5 Association Sunday School—  
Mt. Airy
- 6 Preachers and Deacons—Mt.  
Moriah
- 5-12 Week of Prayer
- 12 Offering for Missions

- 13 Mass Meeting and Junior Mem-  
ory work, Sword drill and  
Young Peoples' Speaking  
Tournament—Harper's Ferry
- 12-19 Youth Week
- 18 Youth Night—Berea
- 14 New Training Union Manual  
Interpretation Clinic—First  
Baptist Church, Fayetteville

**April**

- 3 Preachers and Deacons Meet-  
ing—Gospel Tabernacle
- 4 Regions 3 & 4 T. H. Conven-  
tion—First Baptist, Clinton
- 8 Annual W.M.U. Meeting—Pin-  
ey Grove
- 10 Asso. Brotherhood—Harper's  
Ferry
- 21 Burnt Swamp Ex. Committee  
—Mt. Airy
- 29 Union—
- 30 W.M.U. Ex. Board Meeting—  
Mt. Airy

**May**

- 8 Preachers and Deacons—New  
Point
- 14 Mothers Day Offering for Bap-  
tist Hospital
- 7-14 Christian Home Week
- 23-26 Southern Baptist Convention—  
Miami Beach

**June**

- 4 Sunday School Meeting—Burnt  
Swamp
- 5 Preachers and Deacons—  
Pleasant View
- 5- 9 R.A. Camp—Pembroke age  
9-12
- 12-16 G.A. Camp—Pembroke
- 12 Mass Meeting—Reedy Branch

**July**

- 3 Preachers and Deacons—Piney  
Grove
- 10 Asso. Brotherhood—Bear  
Swamp
- 21 Burnt Swamp Ex. Committee  
Meeting—Mt. Airy
- 29 Union—

**August**

- 7 Preachers and Deacons—Cedar Grove
- 14 B.T.U. Asso. Officers Meeting and Leaders Council—Harper's Ferry
- 25 Briefing of Asso. Officers Meeting—Winston-Salem
- 27 Observe On to College Day

**September**

- 4 Preachers and Deacons—Bethel Hill

- 11 B.T.U. Mass Meeting—Island Grove
- 4-8 Asso. Officers and Leaders Conferences
- 29 Executive Meeting—Mt. Airy

**October**

- 2 Preachers and Deacons—Smyrna
- 9 Asso. Brotherhood—First Baptist, Pembroke
- 12-13 Associational Annual Meeting
- 28 Union—

**LOCAL CHURCH EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE  
REPRESENTATIVES**

- ANTIOCH—Velton Hunt, Rt. 1, St. Pauls
- BEAR SWAMP—W. B. Strickland, Pembroke
- BEREA—Marshall W. Locklear, Pembroke
- BETHEL HILL—James H. Hammonds, Rt. 3, Lumberton
- BEULAH—Josephus Locklear, Rt. 1, Box 414, Pembroke
- BURNT SWAMP—W. O. Maynor, Box 397, Pembroke
- CAPE FEAR—Willie B. Jacobs, R-3, Box 1103, Fayetteville
- CEDAR GROVE—Marvin Ransom, Rt. 4, Lumberton
- CHEROKEE CHAPEL—T. W. Stewart, R-1, Box 344, Chadbourne
- DEEP BRANCH—Chesley McNeil, R-3, Lumberton
- DOGWOOD—Jack Hunt, Rt. 1, Rowland
- GALILEE—Ed Marson, Locklear, R-1, Pembroke
- GOSPEL TABERNACLE—Carl Hunt, Jr., R-1, Rowland
- GRAY POND—Ben James Clark, R-3, Laurinburg
- HARPER'S FERRY—Tommy D. Swett, Rt. 1, Rowland
- ISLAND GROVE—Willie Bryant, R-3, Maxton
- LEITH CREEK—A. D. Driggers, R-1, Maxton
- LOWRY'S CHAPEL—Roscoe Lowry, R-1, Box 23, Red Springs
- MOUNT AIRY—R. W. Locklear, R-1, Pembroke
- MOUNT ELIM—Lonnie L. Locklear, R-2, Lumberton
- MOUNT MORIAH—Woodrow Locklear, R-3, Lumberton
- MOUNT OLIVE—Joseph Locklear, R-3, Lumberton
- NEW BETHEL—Lloyd Jacobs, R-3, Clinton
- NEW HOPE—Roscoe Jacobs, R-1, Box 47, Bolton
- NEW POINT—Kirns Morgan, R-3, Lumberton
- OAK GROVE—Smiley Chavis, Laurinburg
- PEE DEE CHAPEL—Floyd Oxendine, R-2, McColl, S. C.

PEMBROKE FIRST—Grady Holmes, Pembroke  
 PINEY GROVE—Ellie Jones, R-2, Rowland  
 PLEASANT VIEW—Carson Freeman, R-2, Fairmont  
 REEDY BRANCH—Grady Chavis, R-4, Lumberton  
 SMYRNA—Johnnie Hunt, R-5, Lumberton  
 TABERNACLE—Grover Oxendine, Pembroke  
 TEN MILE CENTER—Quinnie Hunt, R-1, Box 68, St. Pauls  
 THOMPSON—Horace Dial, Rt. 3, Box 140, Lumberton  
 UNION—H. S. Fields, R-1, Box 87, Lumberton  
 ZION HILL—Leander Oxendine, R-2, Red Springs  
 DUNDARRACH MISSION—W. N. Jacobs, R-3, Box 304C, Red Springs

### ORDAINED MINISTERS

W. A. Bell	Route 1, Rowland
C. D. Brewington	Pembroke
David Brewington	Route 1, St. Pauls
Harvey E. Brewington	Route 2, Clinton
Rufus Burns	Route 4, Lumberton
Herbert H. Chavis	Shannon
Thermon Chavis	Laurinburg
Z. R. Chavis	Route 1, Pembroke
Alford Cox	Route 3, Laurinburg
Grady Cummings	Route 1, Pembroke
J. L. Cummings	Route 1, Maxton
James D. Dial	Route 1, Pembroke
Chesley Hammonds	Pembroke
J. E. Hammonds	Route 3, Lumberton
Lawrence P. Hardy	Pembroke
Grady Hunt	Route 5, Box 113, Lumberton
Wilbert Hunt	Baltimore, Maryland
L. W. Jacobs	Pembroke
R. B. Jacobs	Pembroke
A. A. Locklear	Pembroke
B. T. Locklear	Route 1, Rowland
C. E. Locklear	Pembroke
Garth Locklear	Pembroke
Glassie Locklear	Route 4, Red Springs
Isiah Locklear	Wakulla
J. L. Locklear	Pembroke
M. C. Locklear	Route 5, Lumberton
P. C. Locklear	Bolton
Sanford Locklear	Route 1, Pembroke
Wade Locklear	Red Springs
Winford Locklear	Route 1, Pembroke
Joseph Lowry	Route 1, Raeford
S. S. Lowry	Pembroke
Welton Lowry	Pembroke
C. W. Maynor	Pembroke

Dawley Maynor	Pembroke
L. A. Maynor	Route 1, Pembroke
King Maynor	Route 4, Pembroke
Roy W. Maynor	Pembroke
Douglas Mitchell	Route 3, Lumberton
Delton Morgan	Route 5, Lumberton
N. R. Morgan	Route 5, Lumberton
Joseph Oxendine	Route 4, Lumberton
Clifford Oxendine	Lambert St., Lumberton
Vester Oxendine	Route 1, Maxton
Elias Rogers	Red Springs
J. R. Rogers	Route 3, Lumberton
T. M. Swett	Route 1, Rowland
C. S. Warriax	Route 1, Rowland

### LICENTIATES

Lee Ammons	Bradford Locklear
William L. Branch	Carson Paul Locklear
J. H. Brewington	Edmond Locklear
Joseph Brooks	J. R. Locklear
Grady Carter	Luther Locklear
James Chavis	Maurice Locklear
Thurman Chavis	Pearson Locklear
S. V. Emanuel	Britton Maynor
John Russell Freeman	Mack Norton
Johnnie Huggins	Carlie Oxendine
Governor Hunt	Charlie Oxendine
Grady Hunt	Floyd Oxendine
Belford Jacobs	James Sanderson
Roscoe Jacobs	P. R. Swett
Arthur Locklear	Roosevelt Thompson

### MESENTERS

- ANTIOCH—Mrs. Gathie Thomas, Mrs. Gerlean Locklear, Mrs. Mary Jacobs.
- BEAR SWAMP—James E. Chavis, J. G. Deese, J. W. Wilkins, Brown Lowery, Alex Locklear.
- BEREA—Marshall Locklear, James H. Brewington, Mrs. Mary Francis Maynor, Miss I. Ruth Martin.
- BETHEL HILL—Dannie Chavis, Levi Chavis, S. V. Emanuel, Willard Emanuel.
- BEULAH—Mrs. Robert Oxendine, Mrs. George W. Bell, Bradie Locklear.
- BURNT SWAMP—W. O. Maynor, Hubert Locklear.
- CAPE FEAR—Mrs. Marland Gibbs, Mrs. Mildred Gibbs, Mrs. Zudie Watts.
- CEDAR GROVE—

CHEROKEE CHAPEL—Jim Hammond, Oscar Lee, Mrs. Eller Locklear.

DEEP BRANCH—C. A. Sampson, Chesley McNeil, J. B. Scott, Clyde Brewington.

DOGWOOD—Sherman Hunt, Mrs. Ethel Hunt, Mrs. Mozell Hunt.

GALILEE—Earlie G. Locklear, Claudie Locklear, Russell Locklear.

GOSPEL TABERNACLE—

GREY POND—Bill Chavis, Luke Oxendine.

HARPER'S FERRY—C. E. Oxendine, L. C. Oxendine, Carson Locklear, Simon Locklear, Mrs. Pearlie Lowry, Mrs. Coree Oxendine, Mrs. Eva Strickland, Mrs. Blanchie Oxendine, Mrs. Lula Oxendine.

ISLAND GROVE—E. L. Jones, Mrs. Lady Strickland, James Jones, Russell Woods.

LEITH CREEK—

LOWRYS CHAPEL—

MOUNT AIRY—Joseph Locklear, Lonnie J. Locklear, Robert Locklear, S. B. Locklear, Mrs. Willie Mack Locklear, Benford Lowry, Mrs. Leona Wilkins, James S. Oxendine.

MT. ELIM—Harvey Goins, Charlie Oxendine, Lonnie L. Locklear.

MT. MORIAH—Leonard Carter, M. L. Jacobs, S. H. Bolin.

MT. OLIVE—L. J. Bell, Ambrose Locklear, Worth Sampson.

NEW BETHEL—James D. Brewington, Johnnie Carter, Mrs. Alm Brewington, Mrs. Pauline Roller, Mrs. Mary E. Jacobs, Mrs. Margie Strickland.

NEW HOPE—Arthur Freeman, Manley Jacobs, Ossie Jacobs, Roscoe Jacobs.

NEW POINT—Miss Gladys Oxendine, Luther Locklear, Marvin Sampson.

OAK GROVE—Mrs. Lela Taylor, Mrs. Francis Chavis, Mrs. Elizabeth Reece.

PEE DEE CHAPEL—Reverend John L. Cummings, Felod Oxendine.

PEMBROKE FIRST—Horace Chavis, Mrs. Zaddie Hammonds, Grady Holmes, Mrs. Fannie Lowry.

PINEY GROVE—Albert Hammond, Verdell Hammonds, Ellis Jones, J. W. Hunt, Woodrow Hunt.

PLEASANT VIEW—James Oliver Oxendine, Carson Freeman, Mrs. Charity Freeman.

REEDY BRANCH—Grady Chavis, Norman Hammonds, Garfield Jacobs, W. C. Rogers, McKinley Smith.

SMYRNA—Clarence Hammond, Alford Locklear, Willie F. Revels.

TABERNACLE—Mrs. Datry Hammond, Tommie Locklear, Taft Lowry.

TEN MILE CENTER—F. H. Epps, Mrs. Jessie Coble, Mrs. Maggie Bell.

THOMPSON—Dewey Owens, Larmond Cummings, Mrs. Della Cummings.

UNON—Jim Strickland, Carlie Jacobs, Mrs. Naomi Strickland.

ZION HILL—Mr. Calvin Locklear, Milton Hall, Artha Locklear.

DUNDARRACH MISSION—

**PROCEEDINGS**  
of the  
**BURNT SWAMP ASSOCIATION**  
Held With  
**REEDY BRANCH CHURCH**  
October 13, 1966

**Thursday Morning Session**

1. The Eighty-Ninth Annual Session of the Burnt Swamp Baptist Association convened at Reedy Branch Church, Fairmont, North Carolina, at 10:00 A. M., Thursday, October 13, 1966. The song service was conducted by C. E. Oxendine of Harper's Ferry Church, with Mrs. Amanda Warriax at the piano. The group sang "Loyalty to Christ." The devotion was conducted by Reverend C. W. Maynor. He read the thirteenth chapter of First Corinthians and offered prayer. The group sang "Am I A Soldier of the Cross?"

2. Reverend Welton Lowry, Vice-Moderator, presiding, the Eighty-Ninth Annual Session of the Burnt Swamp Association was declared open. Reverend Lowry recognized the visitors. Reverend A. A. Lockee offered prayer.

3. The clerk distributed a mimeographed report of the activities of the churches of the Burnt Swamp Association. He called attention to the fact that clerks should be more prompt and accurate in their reports.

4. The election of the Associational Clerk was taken up and by unanimous vote, John L. Carter was re-elected Clerk.

5. Copies of the proposed changes of the Associational Constitution were distributed and Mr. Frank H. Epps, Chairman of the Constitutional Committee, commented on the efforts put forth by the committee to make it practical and effective.

6. Reverend Thomas L. Rich, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Fairmont, North Carolina, discussed the Baptist Foundation. His message was very inspiring and informative.

7. The Cooperative Program was discussed by Mr. Tom Greene, Baptist State Convention Representative. Brother Greene gave a very spiritual, inspiring and informative message. He emphasized the need to receive power through prayer and witnessing from home to the utmost parts of the world with all our resources.

8. Dr. L. L. Murray, Professor of Education at Pembroke State

College, delivered an inspirational message. He used the eighth verse of the fourteenth chapter of St. John as a basis for his message, "Comfort in the Storm." His message was very impressive, spiritual, encouraging, and reassuring.

9. The morning session recessed for lunch with prayer offered by Reverend A. A. Lockee.

#### Thursday Afternoon

10. The Afternoon Session opened with the group singing "The Uncloudy Day." The Reedy Branch Church Choir sang two special numbers, "He Hears Me When I Pray" and "Blessed Lord Hold to My Hand."

11. Reverend Dawley Maynor introduced Reverend Cline and Mr. Roy Smith from the Seminary Extension Department and explained the Seminary Study available to the Burnt Swamp Association.

12. Dr. English Jones, Moderator, presented the afternoon program. Mr. Josephus Locklear, Associational Brotherhood Director, discussed the importance of supporting the Brotherhood Program.

13. Reverend L. P. Hardy, pastor of Berea Baptist Church, read a report for the W. M. U. prepared by Miss Anna Mae Locklear, Associational Superintendent. He emphasized the important part the W. M. U. has in the church.

14. Mr. Tommy D. Swett, Training Director, gave a report on the Training Union Work and how necessary it was to adjust our programs to meet the demands of the group you are serving.

15. Mr. Delton R. Locklear, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, discussed how necessary it is to be sure that the proper teaching is done in our church.

16. The Thursday Afternoon session closed with prayer offered by Reverend L. W. Jacobs.

Dr. English E. Jones, Moderator  
John L. Carter, Clerk

#### Friday Morning Session MOUNT AIRY CHURCH October 14, 1966

17. The Morning Session opened with the group singing "The Lily of the Valley," led by C. E. Oxendine and Mrs. Bessie Blanks at the piano. The devotion was conducted by R. W. Lock-

lear. He read the thirteenth chapter of First Corinthians. Reverend Chesley Hammonds offered prayer. The group sang "Love Lifted Me" with Mrs. Mable O. Lowry at the piano.

18. The Moderator, Dr. English Jones, gave a cordial welcome to the group and declared the body ready for the transaction of business. He asked for the Minutes of the Thursday Session. Reverend Sanford Locklear, Reading Clerk, read the minutes.

19. The Treasurer gave the financial report and financial status of the Burnt Swamp Association. Also, he gave a report on the transferring of part of the Odom property from the Burnt Swamp Association to Berea Church to be used for church expansion and a cemetery.

20. Reverend L. P. Hardy, B. S. U. Director, gave a report on Baptist Student Work and the part that Berea Church is doing to make it pleasant for the Pembroke State College students.

21. Dr. Budd Smith, President of Wingate College, Wingate, North Carolina, brought a message on Christian Higher Education. Dr. Smith discussed the importance of Christian Higher Education.

22. The Moderator presented the Social Service Institutions. Baptist Homes for the Aging and the Baptist Hospital were discussed by Reverend Welton Lowry. He encouraged us to help in these worthy causes.

23. Reverend Chesley Hammonds introduced Dr. I. G. Greer and he discussed the Children's Homes. He stated that the most important thing in the world is to take boys and girls and make Christian men and women.

24. Dr. English E. Jones delivered the annual message. Dr. Jones called attention to the fact that we can do better and have greater faith in our fellowman, greater faith in God and greater faith in what we undertake. Reverend D. F. Lowry offered prayer and the Morning Session adjourned for lunch.

### Friday Afternoon

25. The devotion was conducted by C. E. Oxendine. The group sang "Precious Redeemer," with Mrs. Mable O. Lowry at the piano. The Mount Airy Women's Chorus sang special numbers, "When you Pray, Mention My Name," and "Hand in Hand with Jesus."

26. The Moderator declared the body ready for the transaction of business and the Standing Committee Reports were heard.

27. The Advisory Board Report was given by Reverend L. W. Jacobs. He reported that ordination services were held at Grey

Pond, New Bethel, Harpers Ferry, and Reedy Branch; also, Elizabeth Heights Church was organized.

28. The Budget for the Burnt Swamp Association was presented by John E. Cummings in the amount of \$10,745.00 for the term of 1966-67. An amendment was made in the missionary travel—\$50.00 limit per month.

29. The Revised Constitution and By-Laws for the Burnt Swamp Association was presented by F. H. Epps and were adopted to become effective immediately.

30. R. W. Maynor, Chairman of the Finance Committee, stated that the churches were refusing to help finance the Burnt Swamp Association, because they were not receiving any assistance from the Missionary and consideration from the Moderator. The General Board Report was given by Purnell Swett.

31. Reverend C. W. Maynor, Chairman of the Missions Committee, reported that the Missions Dundarrach and West End are at a low ebb. They are in worse condition than they were last year, due to the poor leadership. Reverend Maynor offered a motion that the Missions Committee's Report be received and their request that a Vote of Confidence be taken for the Missionary Reverend Dawley Maynor. "That, if Reverend Dawley Maynor gets a majority vote, we support him 100%, if he receives a minority vote, this vote will serve to notify Reverend Dawley Maynor that his services will end within 60 days. Also that we pay Reverend Dawley Maynor all back pay and his regular salary through the month of November, 1966. The Motion was seconded and carried. The vote for Reverend Dawley Maynor was cast and the count was 39 votes to keep him and 79 votes to terminate his service according to the motion. Reverend Maynor asked for permisison to speak and he declared his services to the Burnt Swamp Association has ended at 2:30 P. M., October 14, 1966. His resignation was accepted by the Burnt Swamp Association in session, in accordance to Reverend Dawley Maynor's wishes.

32. The Obituary Report was given by Reverend L. A. Maynor.

33. The Time and Place Committee reported that the time and place for the next annual meeting of the Burnt Swamp Association would be October 12, 1967 at Harper's Ferry Church, Pembroke, North Carolina, and October 13, 1967, at Piney Grove Church, Fairmont, North Carolina.

34. Reverend L. P. Hardy gave the Petition Committee's Report. The Committee recommended that Elizabeth Heights Church, Lum-

berton, North Carolina, and Mount Bethel Church, Hollister, North Carolina, be admitted to the Burnt Swamp Association as full-fledged members of the Association. By motion these churches were accepted and Dr. Jones gave the Pastor of Elizabeth Heights, Reverend N. R. Morgan, and messenger, Edward Locklear; and Reverend C. H. Richardson, pastor of the Mount Bethel Church, and messenger, Fletcher Lynch, the right of fellowship making full-fledged members of the Burnt Swamp Association.

35. The Registration Committee gave a report on registration. Mrs. Albert Hammonds asked that the pastors and messengers cooperate in the registration procedure.

36. The election of officers was taken up and Reverend C. W. Maynor was elected Moderator; F. H. Epps, Vice-Moderator; John L. Carter, Treasurer; Reverend Sanford Locklear, Reading Clerk; Reverend Welton Lowry, Historian.

37. A motion was carried that the other elective officers be approved as recommended by the various associational groups. See Sunday School, Training Union, Brotherhood, W. M. U. Officers.

38. A vote of thanks was given Reedy Branch and Mount Airy Churches for their hospitality in entertaining the Eighty-Ninth Session of the Burnt Swamp Association.

39. The session closed with the group singing "Blessed Be the Tie" and prayer by Reverend Coolidge Cummings.

Dr. English E. Jones, Moderator  
John L. Carter, Clerk

## REPORT OF ASSOCIATIONAL WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

Each time I bring you a report of the development and activities of W. M. U. in our association, I am ever mindful that behind each accomplishment are the lives of many individuals, who have invested time, energy, means, and personality to the end that Christ might be shared with others. It is a Privilege of the Associational president to bring into one account our experiences of the past months. Every woman who has participated in a Women's Missionary Society has had a vital share in the information I present. We sincerely appreciate the leadership of every local W. M. U. officer and the encouragement and cooperation of their pastors. Above all, we realize that only as God has been allowed to work through us have the accomplishments been possible. To him we owe the greatest debt of gratitude.

During the past months definite growth has been made in enlistment. We have 19 W. M. S. reporting. We have gained several New Young People's organizations. Special recognition and thanks are due Miss Hattie Hunt, associational Y. W. A. director, to whom we give the credit for organizing these.

We are praying and trusting that every church in our association will see the need of having all the missionary organizations in their church. Every-

where today we are confronted with the problem that there is no one to accept the responsibility of teaching and leading our Young People. We feel that missionary organizations are especially important in that they receive information that goes toward keeping the churches mission minded.

One of our greatest jobs of the year is our W. M. U. camps. We had 138 RA's and GA's attending camp this summer. There were 13 YWA's attending YWA House Party in Greensboro. 10 societies observed the session of Prayer for Foreign Missions and 19 observed the session for Home Missions.

The Theme of our Annual Meeting on April 7, 1965 was "AS MY FATHER HATH SENT ME . . . . SO SEND I YOU." Beulah Baptist was the host church. There were 19 churches represented. Rev. Troy Bennet, missionary to East Pakistan was our Guest speaker. The program was good and the presence of the Master was felt by those present.

We were glad to see several of our pastors attend our Annual Meeting. May I remind each of you pastors again just how much it means to the women to have you show an interest in our work. Woman's Missionary Union has always been an Auxiliary. We do not ask for the first places of leadership, but that we might be a helper to those who are first in leadership. It is gratifying to us to see our pastors show enough interest to attend our Associational meetings. I wonder how many of you ever attended, without special invitation, a general meeting of the W. M. U. in your own church? Why not surprise your women by dropping in occasionally? Try it and see if you don't help to plant new zeal and enthusiasm just by this act of encouragement.

As we look toward the goals of the months ahead we realize they are great and that many things will happen to discourage us. But I am reminded of the words spoken by Miss Annie Armstrong whose motto was "Ever Forward." "I have always found," she said, "that, if one will go forward in faith, she will find the stone rolled away."

There is much that needs to be done. We are looking forward to greater things in the months ahead, for Christ's sake.

Respectfully submitted,  
Miss Anna Mae Locklear  
Associational W. M. U. president

## REPORT OF THE BAPTIST STUDENT UNION

Let me once again thank you on the behalf of myself and the students of Pembroke State College for the use of the camp building as a temporary B.S.U. center. We have used the camp building for two years and will always be grateful. However; because of its distance from the campus, we are now using the educational building of the Berea Baptist Church.

We call our student center the "Side Door Coffee House" and it is open to all students. We feel that it is our mission through this means to let the students know that Christ and His church cares for them. We are realists and know that many will just use us but we hope that in later years as they mature they will have a change of heart toward the church and say somebody cared, somebody was concerned and now I must care and be concerned.

We use the indirect approach in reaching these students with Christian literature placed at convenient places and a chapel for those who need a place to get away from it all and turn to Him who can alone give the abundant and eternal life. I, as chaplain, am always available for the students as a counselor and one in whom they can confide.

We meet in accordance with the students' choice each Monday night with emphasis upon worship, study, service, fellowship and recreation.

I plead with you to support the B.S.U. ministry with your prayers, concern and giving to the Co-operative Program as this may be our last chance to reach students with the Christian option. It is our purpose to guide the student in the development of his spiritual life in depth along with the development of his intellectual and social life.

We have more students involved in the B.S.U. program this year than previous years and for this we are grateful. Your help is needed to encourage the young people of your church who attend Pembroke State College to become more deeply involved in the B.S.U. May God continue to Bless you as you back up our young people in the most important phase of their growth, that of developing a mature faith of their own that will enable them to face the complex modern world.

Respectfully submitted,  
Lawrence P. Hardy  
B.S.U. Chaplain

### **REPORT ON THE BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC. — 1966**

Under the impact of the life, ministry and teachings of Christ and under the leadership of the Holy Spirit, North Carolina Baptists, eighty-one years ago launched a Christian ministry of child care. This has grown considerably and is widely recognized for its qualities of service and pioneering spirit. Sons and daughters of the Children's Homes are scattered throughout the world. They are actively engaged in all walks of life and are making a significant contribution to the uplift of mankind as a result of their early Christian training made possible by North Carolina Baptists and other friends.

As we continue to build upon foundations already laid, special attention is being given certain areas of child care. An already strong program of group care is being strengthened at Mills Home, Kennedy Home and Odum Home. A good degree of progress has been realized in working with emotionally disturbed children at Greer home in Chapel Hill. The demonstration Child Development Program for preschool children, conducted on the Mills Home campus, has had an excellent first year of operation. Churches throughout the state are studying the program and facilities preparatory to providing similar services. Prospects are encouraging for a home for children in the western part of the state more adequately to serve the needs of our people who live west of the Blue Ridge Mountains. Constant attention is being given to more effective ways of meeting the highly specialized needs of children coming out of broken and inadequate home situations.

We have a large number of good Christian homes for the care of foster children. More are needed in all sections of the state. Foster homes serve children of all ages and are of particular advantage for some who have special needs. Foster home parents may be of varying ages and circumstances in life. Couples with or without children of their own who have an abundance of love find this to be a challenging and rewarding opportunity of Christian service.

Sincere appreciation is expressed to all who have, in any way, helped to support our child care ministry. We are indeed grateful for increasing income through the Cooperative Program. Last year's Thanksgiving Offering is approaching three hundred fifteen thousand dollars (\$315,000.00) and is the largest ever. Special gifts and designations such as the Once-a-month offering continue to provide a substantial part of our income. Through estate planning and the making of Christian wills an increasing number of individuals and

families are investing in present and future generations of boys and girls who are in need of the services of the Baptist Children's homes. Roger Williams, former pastor of the Mills Home Baptist Church, is devoting full time to working with our Baptist people in this area, and he or other members of our staff will count it a privilege to assist you in exploring this field of Christian stewardship.

We covenant with you to face the future as we have the past: to offer Christian nurture to distressed children in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

## ADVANTAGES OF A BROTHERHOOD PROGRAM IN EVERY CHURCH

There were eight churches that reported having a Brotherhood Program in their church. I feel that this is a mistake. We have more Brotherhoods that should be reported. This mistake is due to the fact that the program is not well known.

There are three units of the Brotherhood: 1. Baptist Men, 25 years and older; 2. Baptist Young Men—for all young men 18-24; 3. Royal Ambassadors for boys 9-17. If a church has any of these units it has a Brotherhood program and should report it on the church letter to the association. Any church, regardless of size or location, can have a Brotherhood. Each unit can expand or contract in accordance with the membership.

Brotherhood is the church organization which provides missionary education for all men, young men and boys. it is one of the five educational organizations in a Baptist church.

The objective of a Brotherhood program in a Baptist church is to lead men, young men and boys to a deeper commitment to missions, a more meaningful prayer life for missions, stewardship, and to a personal involvement in missions. The Brotherhood program is designed to help the church fulfill its missionary education responsibilities.

The Brotherhood program will help men to acquire a knowledge of Missions. When men and boys become informed about their church's mission program, their interest will influence every area of church life. The members will have a compassion for the unsaved without regard to race, culture or location.

An active Brotherhood program will reach people with special needs. Every community has people of this nature. There are the blind, poor, deaf, juvenile delinquents, the illiterates and those in prisons. All of these people need the ministry and witness of Christ.

A Brotherhood program will help train young men for the work of the church. We must involve our young men in missionary education. Our young men are fighting in Viet Nam, they are working in the Peace Corps, they are demonstrating on our college campuses. Yet, from this group must come most of the 5,000 missionaries the Foreign Mission Board needs by 1989. From this group must come thousands of pastors and ministers of education. It is from this group must come our lay witnesses if the churches are to fulfill their missionary obligation in their own communities.

If Baptists are to go forward, young men must be informed about their missionary responsibility. Brotherhood can do this.

An effective Brotherhood can help men in the art of witnessing by visiting. Just as reading is the gateway to learning, so visitation is the gateway to church growth. When we go, they come. Brotherhood cannot ignore this fact. Jesus approves it. There is no better way to get the people. Letters and telephone calls are good, but they are no substitute for a visit. Jesus said, "Go tell." He also said, "I will make you fishers of men."

A Brotherhood teaches Christian Ministry. Think what Brotherhoods could do for the Robeson Prison Unit. We need a good follow-up program there. Brotherhood could welcome parolees back into the churches, lend them money, give them advice, help them find a job, and minister to their spiritual ills. This is the concern for people Jesus had in mind for Christians.

A Brotherhood could set up a juvenile rehabilitation program for errant boys, so that they can have a better place in our society. By doing so, the boys will know that the people care for them. This program will cause men to have a concern for the unfortunate, the poor and the handicapped. Expression of God's concern can be seen in his attitude toward the unfortunate, in his provisions for them, and in his laws regarding fairness and justice toward them.

Men who heed the commands of the Lord and respond to the needs of persons in Christian love can take comfort in Jesus' promise: "Then shall the King say—"Come, ye blessed of my Father, inherit the Kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world."

Respectfully submitted,  
Josephus Locklear

## A CHURCH FULFILLING ITS MISSION THROUGH PROCLAMATION AND WITNESS

The 1965-1966 Sunday School program related to the Southern Baptist Convention Theme "A Church Fulfilling Its Mission Through Proclamation and Witness." The Sunday School program was set up to follow this theme in its attempt to (1) teach the biblical revelation, (2) reach all prospects for the church, (3) and lead all church members to witness daily.

### During The Past Year

Our programs were planned with this theme in mind. A major emphasis was placed on reaching the adults in our Sunday School area. We feel however that our association Sunday School work has been below par. This was due in part to poor planning at the church and associational level.

### CHURCH PLANNING COUNSEL

Jesus has given us our assignment, "But ye shall receive power, . . . and ye shall be witnesses." Have we witnessed and proclaimed in 1965-1966 as we should have?

Forgetting about the past, let's look forward for a few minutes. The 1966-67 convention Emphasis is, "A Church Fulfilling Its Mission Through Education."

The Church originated in the heart of God. Jesus Christ established it on earth, and gave it its Mission. Matt. 28: 19-20. Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you; and too I am with you always, even unto the ends of the world." A church fulfills its mission through worship, proclamation, education, and ministry. To educate is to lead persons to the Knowledge and acceptance of Jesus Christ as Saviour and Lord, to train them in the performance of their Christian responsibilities and to motivate them in Christian living and serving.

The Sunday School 1966-67 has responsibility in two broad areas of action: *study* and *performance*. Will we have more study courses? Will our church planning be better organized? Plans, even good ones are not enough. Church members must feel the personal accountability that comes with personal salvation. There must be an inner drive or motivation, which along makes witness

real. Whence comes this motivation? How are we, our people, to encourage motivation?

Study 2 Tim. 2:15 earnest study of God's Word. The Bible comes alive to us as we see in it God's purposes for man; and also man's successes and failures. God's Word tells us that the responsibility for sharing the gospel rests upon the people of God. The Bible makes it clear what we, the followers of Christ, the redeemed, must do about this world and its need and the fulfillment of that need. It is simply that we must *go and tell*.

During recent months there has been evident a renewed interest in the study of God's Word. Many Churches and thousands of Christians have earnestly studied *John's Witness to Jesus*. More than a half-million adults and young people have studied the alternate Sunday School lessons, *Bearing Our Witness for Christ*.

These studies have developed a great climate of interest and divine concern and a personal sense of responsibility. How many of us, our churches, have studied these books? This is why it's hard to lead our members to accept the convention's new programs? We haven't studied. They are prepared. We haven't felt the sense of responsibility. Who will teach us? Pastors—Supt. *Extension Department has offered its help*.

### After Study — Performance

Our purpose in Bible study is to help our churches to become organizations that truly worship, proclaim, educate, and minister. Of course, the way by which we may hope to effect changes in churches is by effecting changes in the individuals who compose them. Obviously, the more thoroughly Christian church members become, the more Christian their churches become.

In the area of performance, the Church Growth Plan is a program all other church organizations can help with. The emphasis is still on reaching adults.

A church may use its Sunday School in a major way to achieve church growth by discovering unreached persons, identifying groups of prospects for special attention, cultivating prospects for the church, engaging more people in Bible study, teaching the gospel, witnessing to them about salvation.

How can a church or an association accomplish these? With a purpose in mind, with a destination determined, with an informed membership, and most of all the leadership of the Holy Spirit.

It is unlikely that any spiritual or religious undertaking will succeed apart from persevering prayer, enthusiastic leadership, and hard work.

A good, long step has been taken when our pastors call both leadership and membership of our individual churches to genuine prayer and commitment to support wholeheartedly the programs of churches, our association, and our convention.

Very few people will follow and support a church leader who is glum, unhappy, pessimistic, discouraged, and defeated before a new program begins. This leader has become part of the problem . . . not the solution.

On the other hand, practically everyone follows with confidence, the leader who is vibrant, happy, confident, and enthusiastic.

Sunday School and associational leaders will find no easy, painless, instant, automatic way to secure needed results in growth and development. We need the pastor to come, and to bring, and to support wholeheartedly these programs at the church and associational level.

If the Sunday School leads the way, sets the pace, and staves on the track, the goals will be reached. Progress in all church tasks waits for progress in the Sunday School. Sunday School workers, officers and teachers your church is depending on you! May God strengthen and encourage your hearts as you seek to give Him your best.

**OUR HOME GOERS**

ANTIOCH — Mrs. Amelia Hunt

BEAR SWAMP — Deacon Morean Jacobs, Deacon Odom Barton, Mrs. Lettie Mae Cummings

BEREA — Deacon W. G. Revels, Mr. James F. Lowry, Mrs. Bertie Revels, Mrs. F. A. Warriax

BURNT SWAMP — Mr. Herman McNeill, Mrs. Sarah Alice McNeill

CAPE FEAR — Mrs. Mildred Gibbs

DEEP BRANCH — Mr. Burl Locklear, Mr. Elويد Graham, Mr. Will Brayboy

HARPER'S FERRY — Mrs. Winnie C. Locklear

LEITH CREEK — Mr. Gadford Locklear

LOWRYS CHAPEL — Eunick Locklear

MT. AIRY — Reverend Chesley Maynor, Mr. Walter Hardin, Mr. Wheeler Tyner, Mr. Roy Cummings, Mrs. Leola Lowry, Mrs. Elsie Mae Locklear

MT. OLIVE—Mr. Asbery Locklear

NEW HOPE — Mr. W. J. Freeman

NEW POINT — Mr. Gaston Carter

OAK GROVE — Mr. Jim Clark

PEMBROKE FIRST — Mr. Sonny Jones

PINEY GROVE — Mrs. Kathleen Locklear

PLEASANT VIEW — Mrs. Louvenia Smith

REEDY BRANCH — Reverend L. B. Jacobs

SMYRNA — Mr. Harrison Chavis

TABERNACLE — Mr. Jasper Locklear

TEN MILE CENTER — Mr. Jim Bell

ZION HILL — Mrs. Annie J. Locklear, Mr. Woodrow Jones

Respectfully submitted,  
L. A. Maynor  
Delton Morgan  
Obituary Committee

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**BURNT SWAMP BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**  
**FINANCIAL REPORT**  
**October 13, 1966**

**Receipts**

Brought forward November 1, 1965 .....	0.00
Received from Baptist State Convention .....	\$1,650.00
Received from Burnt Swamp Association .....	4,020.61
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$5,670.61</b>

**Expenditures**

Rev. Dawley Maynor .....	\$4,025.00
Rev. Henry Walden—speaker .....	10.00
Baptist State Convention—Dundarrach Note .....	740.25
Robeson Office Supplies .....	74.38
Bond for Treasurer .....	5.00
Baptist Book Store—supplies .....	34.87
Grey & Creech—supplies for Missionary .....	147.87
Postage .....	35.50
Insurance—Youth Camp .....	106.00
Mr. Josephus—postage .....	5.00
Theo Davis Sons—Minutes .....	383.97
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$5,567.84</b>
Balance, October 1, 1966 .....	\$ 102.77

John L. Carter, Treasurer  
October 13, 1966

**BURNT SWAMP BAPTIST ASSOCIATION BUDGET****1966-1967****Education and Promotion**

Sunday School Expense .....	\$ 100.00
Training Union Expense .....	125.00
Women's Missionary Union Expense .....	100.00
Music Department Expense .....	50.00
Evangelism Department Expense .....	50.00
Brotherhood Department Expense .....	100.00

**Associational Office**

Postage .....	50.00
Bonding Fee .....	10.00
Office Supplies .....	200.00
Minutes .....	500.00
Telephone .....	125.00
Secretarial Help .....	100.00

**Salaries and Allowance**

Superintendent of Missions .....	\$5,400.00
Credit Card (for Gas) Monthly Limit .....	50.00
Southern Baptist Convention .....	100.00
State Baptist Convention .....	25.00
Superintendent of Missions Retirement .....	200.00
Moderator's Expense .....	150.00

## BURNT SWAMP BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Camp Building Insurance .....	160.00
Repair Camp Building .....	1,000.00
Contingency and Emergency .....	400.00
Associational Clerk .....	250.00
Mission Note (Dundarrach Mission) .....	700.00
New Mission Work .....	500.00
Youth Camp (Royal Ambassadors and other Auxiliaries) .....	200.00
Visiting Speakers .....	150.00
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	\$10,745.00

## CONSTITUTION OF THE BURN'T SWAMP MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

### Article I — Name

The body shall be known as the Burnt Swamp Missionary Baptist Association.

### Article II — Membership

Members of this body shall be messengers elected by the churches of the association, and all ordained ministers of the gospel who are members of the churches within the Association. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers for the first one hundred or portion thereof and an additional messenger for each additional fifty or major fraction thereof.

### Article III — Purpose or Object

The object of this Association shall be to furnish the Baptist Churches of the Burnt Swamp Baptist Association a medium of cooperation for the propagation of the Gospel of Jesus Christ and for the Advancement of the Redeemer's Kingdom by all methods in accordance with the Word of God, and also to emphasize the responsibilities of its membership in relation to Missions, Benevolences, Education, and to cooperate with our State and Southern Baptist Convention to increase the intelligence and spiritual power of the gospel to promote harmony and fellowship among the churches.

### Article IV — Officers

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational Training Union Director, President of the Brotherhood, Associational Superintendent of W. M. U. and Historian.

Section 2. The Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer and Historian shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations. The Nominating Committee's report shall not preclude nominations from the floor. The Associational Sunday School Superintendent, the Training Union Director, President of the Brotherhood, and the Superintendent of the W. M. U. shall be nominated by the respective organizations which they represent and shall be approved by the Executive Board at its June meeting. The Clerk and Treasurer may be combined at the discretion of the Association.

Section 3. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the body, and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall be Chairman of the Executive Board. He shall serve as ex-officio member of all committees. No one may serve as Moderator after two successive terms without a lapse of one year.

Section 4. The Vice-Moderator shall preside in the absence of or at the discretion of the Moderator.

Section 5. The Clerk shall keep an accurate record of the Proceedings of the body, mail blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches affiliated with the Association, prepare, publish, and distribute the minutes of the Association as soon as practicable after adjournment. He shall receive annually a compensation for his services as provided for in the By-Laws.

Section 6. The Treasurer shall receive and distribute all funds of the Association subject to its order or the approval of the Executive Council or the Executive Board or both. The Treasurer shall also make a written report to each quarterly session of the Executive Board showing all receipts and expenditures and also a written report showing the complete financial opera-

tions at each annual session of the Association.

Section 7. All officers of the Association shall assume their duties at the close of the Association.

#### Article V — Prerogative

The Association may sever connection with any church that becomes heterodox in doctrine or disorderly in practice, or that fails to represent itself by letter or messengers for more than two consecutive annual meetings of the Association without good reason thereof, or that treats with contempt the objects and requirements of the Association.

The Association may also sever connection with any church at the request of said church. The Association may receive other Baptist Churches into its membership upon recommendation of the Committee on Petitions. A majority vote to receive shall be required. The Association shall have no power or right to interfere with the internal affairs of the churches, but will be ready at all times to render assistance to any church requesting help.

#### Article VI — Committees

Section 1. The Executive Board shall be composed of the officers of the Association, the Ordained Ministers and one lay member from each church in the Association; the lay member to be elected by the church and the name of each lay member to be reported to the Clerk of the Association. The member of the General Board to the Baptist State Convention, Moderator and Clerk of the Burnt Swamp Baptist Union, Moderator of the Preachers and Deacons Conference, and the Chairman of the Standing Committees shall also be members of the Executive Board.

Section 2. The Executive Board shall have the authority to fill, for the remainder of the Associational year, all vacancies in its membership occurring between sessions of the Association upon recommendation of the Committee on Committees, and it shall lead the Association in a constructive and aggressive Missionary program at all times.

Section 3. The duties of the Executive Board shall be as follows:

- (1) The Executive Board shall administer and be in general charge of the affairs of the Association between its sessions.
- (2) The Executive Board shall coordinate and correlate as far as possible all Associational activities, and to this end all departments of the Associational work shall give their cooperation.
- (3) The Executive Board shall have authority to appeal to the churches for contributions to carry on the work of the Association.
- (4) The Executive Board shall at its discretion set up an Executive Council. The Executive Board shall define its duties, establish its membership, and set the time and the place of the regular meeting.

Section 4. The Executive Board shall meet quarterly, make a written report to each session of the Association covering the work done under its discretion during the preceding year and containing any recommendations the committee may wish to make.

Section 5. The Association shall have the following standing committees, with their terms of office being from the close of the annual meeting through the following annual meeting. Members of all standing committees shall be elected for a term of three years, with one-third of the membership elected each year, except that the terms of the first group of Committees to be chosen shall be staggered, one-third of said committees to serve for a term of one year, one-third of said committees to serve for a term of two years, and one-third of said committees to serve for a term of three years. Names of all committee members shall be printed in the minutes, together with their terms

of office. This rotation does not apply to the Committee on Calendar, whose members serve ex-officio.

- A. To be appointed by the Moderator at the annual meeting, or immediately thereafter. Committee on Committees.
- B. To be nominated by the Committee on Committees and elected by the Association at the annual meeting.
  - (1) Resolutions Committee
  - (2) Finance Committee
  - (3) Missions Committee
  - (4) Nominating Committee
  - (5) Calendar Committee
  - (6) Constitution Committee
  - (7) Membership or Petitions Committee
  - (8) Camp Committee
  - (9) Program Committee
- C. The following Committees shall be appointed by the Moderator at least thirty days prior to the annual meeting to serve during the annual meeting.
  - (1) Time and Place Committee
  - (2) Enrollment Messengers Committee
  - (3) Obituary Committee

Section 6. Other temporary committees that may be created by the Association shall be appointed by the Moderator.

#### **Article VII — Duties of the Churches**

It shall be the duty of each church to report to the Association annually, by letter and through messengers. These letters should be in the hands of the Clerk ten (10) days before the meeting, giving the correct statistical information of its work and whatever relates to its general welfare, together with funds to meet the financial plan of the Association as recommended by the Budget Committee of the Association. Statistics of the churches shall be tabulated and printed.

#### **Article VIII — Duties of Standing Committees**

Section 1. The Resolutions Committee, composed of three (3) members, shall draw up and present to the Association, resolutions of appreciation and any other resolution it or the Association may deem wise.

Section 2. The Finance Committee, composed of nine (9) members and the Treasurer, shall study the Association's financial needs for an adequate program, present a budget to the Association for the following year, devise plans for securing the cooperation of the churches in raising funds to meet the budget, and make a written report to the annual meeting.

Section 3. The Missions Committee.

- (1) This committee shall be composed of six (6) members. It shall work with the Associational Missionary in promoting the work in the Association, lead and assist in organizing new churches and in beginning new mission stations.
- (2) If such advice is sought, it shall advise any group seeking to organize a new church. It shall also seek to help any member church desiring assistance with its problems.
- (3) It shall be the duty of this committee to cooperate with the Associational Missionary program, and to supervise the same.
- (4) When without a Missionary, this committee shall seek out and recommend to the Association, or its Executive Board a new Missionary for election.

Section 4. The Nominating Committee, composed of six members, shall contact before and nominate on the last day at the annual meeting of the Association, the officers of the Association, according to Article IV and XII of the Constitution. This committee's nominations shall not preclude other nominations from the floor.

Section 5. The Calendar Committee. This committee shall be composed of the Heads of the Departments, the Moderator of the Union, the Moderator of the Preachers and Deacons Meeting, with the Moderator of the Association, the Clerk and Associational Missionary serving as ex-officio members. This committee shall prepare an Associational Calendar for the coming year and present same to the Executive Board for adoption. After their approval it shall be presented to the Association at the annual meeting.

Section 6. The Constitution Committee shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to study and recommend changes in the Constitution when they deem it necessary and bring reports to the Executive Board and the Association.

Section 7. The Camp Committee shall be composed of six members, including pastors, laymen, and laywomen. It shall direct the development and use of the property with the advice and consent of the Executive Board or the Association.

Section 8. The Program Committee shall be composed of three members and the Moderator and the Clerk. It shall prepare a printed program for the annual meeting of the Association which shall be sent to all persons on the program and to all pastors at least thirty days before the annual meeting of the Association. It shall, in the opening of the annual meeting of the Association, present the printed program for adoption, and serve through the sessions when adjustments in the order of business becomes necessary.

Section 9. The Committee on Committees, composed of six members shall perform the duties as set forth in the Constitution (Article VI. Section 5.), and shall assist the Executive Board in filling vacancies on all other standing committees occurring between sessions. This committee shall also name the chairman of each committee.

Section 10. The Committee on Place and Time, composed of three members, shall receive or solicit invitations for the place or places of meetings for the next annual meeting of the Association, and shall recommend the place or places.

Section 11. The Committee on Enrollment, composed of six members shall prepare for and register all the messengers and visitors attending the Association.

Section 12. The Obituary Committee shall be composed of three members with one being appointed each year. It shall be the duty of this committee to bring a suitable report at the annual meeting and lead in a memorial service in the memory of those reported by the churches to have died since the last annual meeting.

Section 13. The Petitions Committee

(1) This committee shall be composed of three members with one being appointed each year. Any church seeking admission to the membership of the Association shall petition in writing the Executive Board at least six (6) months before the annual meeting of the Association, which petition shall be referred to the Petitions Committee for its study of the petitioning church's covenant, articles of faith, history, practices, cooperative spirit, its relations to other member churches of the Association, and its willingness to abide by the Constitution and By-laws of the Association. The Petitions Committee shall

then report to the Association, at its next annual meeting, its findings and recommendations for Associational action.

- (2) Each church applying for membership in the Association, upon approval shall be received under watch-care of the Association for a period of one year.

### **Article IX—Meetings**

There shall be one annual meeting of the Association and as many additional meetings as deemed necessary by the Association or the Executive Board. The annual session of the Association shall begin on Thursday before the third Sunday in October, at such place as may be chosen.

### **Article X — Amendments**

This Constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the members present at any regular meeting provided notice has been given at a preceding meeting of the proposed change and the minutes bear a record thereof.

### **Article XI — Advisory Board**

Section 1. An Advisory Board, composed of five ordained ministers and deacons, shall be appointed annually by the Moderator, whose duty shall be to assist the churches of the Burnt Swamp Association in adjusting their differences. They shall act as an arbitrator.

Section 2. They shall assist the pastors in ordaining preachers and deacons.

Section 3. A minister coming from another denomination must pass satisfactorily an examination along Baptist doctrinal lines before being recommended to his church for ordination.

### **Article XII—Trustees and their Election**

Section 1. There shall be three trustees of the Association, serving terms of three years each. On nomination by the Committee on Nominations, one trustee shall be elected at each annual meeting. The expiration date of each trustee's term of office shall appear by his name in the Associational Minutes.

Section 2. Trustees shall serve for a term of three years, except that the terms of the first group of trustees to be chosen shall be staggered, one of said trustees to serve for a term of one year, one of said trustees to serve for a term of two years, and one of said trustees to serve for a term of three years.

Section 3. The duty of the trustees shall be: to hold in trust any property, money, endowment, or other securities of said Association, and they shall handle all legal matters of the Association under the direction of the Association or its Executive Board.

### **Article XIII — Superintendent of Missions**

Section 1. His selection shall be upon recommendation of the Committee on Missions and on vote by the Association in its annual meeting, or between sessions of the Association, by its Executive Board. He shall be ex-officio of all committees and organizations of the Association in a serving and advisory capacity.

Section 2. The Associational Missionary shall promote the work of the Association and Denomination, cooperating with the churches, their pastors and officers, and the Associational Committees and Organizations.

### **General Duties of Associational Missionary**

1. His relationship to the organizations of the Association shall be that of Pastor Advisor.

2. He shall offer his services to the churches as needs arise, and work with them upon their invitation.

3. He shall lead in the Primary Missions work of the Association, in co-operation with the Missions Committee.

4. He shall promote the whole program of the Association, the Baptist State Convention, and the Southern Baptist Convention.

5. He shall serve as ex-officio member of the committees of the Association.

6. His work shall be under the direction of the Association.

7. He shall have two weeks annual vacation with pay, plus two weeks of revival time exclusive of his mission work, if desired, with honorarium kept for personal use. All other honoraria shall be given back into the Treasury of the Association.

8. He shall have administrative supervision of such work as assigned him by the Association.

9. The Missionary shall report to the Association through a bulletin mailed at least monthly.

## BY-LAWS

Section 1. Robert's Rules of Order shall be used as a standard for parliamentary procedure for the transaction of all business.

Section 2. A quorum for the transaction of business shall consist of messengers from a majority of the churches.

Section 3. Every person wishing to speak shall rise and address the Moderator, confining himself closely to the subject under discussion, bearing in mind always to observe a spirit of brotherhood and Christian love.

Section 4. Persons addressing the body shall not be interrupted within their allotted time unless out of order, or for the purpose of explanation.

Section 5. No person shall speak more than twice on any given subject without permission from the Association.

Section 6. If anyone shall think that the Moderator has unfairly stated a motion, the person making the motion shall reduce it to writing, and it shall be read by the Clerk before the vote is taken.

Section 7. That the Clerk be allowed \$250.00 per year for his service.

Section 8. These By-Laws may be changed by a two-thirds vote of the body at any session.

## ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Report of Clerk.
2. Election of Clerk.
3. Calling of Petitionary Letters.
4. Appointment of Committees.
5. Report of Treasurer.
6. Reports.
7. Reports of Special Committees.
8. Election of Moderator, Vice-Moderator and Treasurer.
9. Miscellaneous Business.
10. Incidentals and routine business shall be in order at any time.
11. Adjournment.

# HISTORICAL TABLE

Date	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1880	Burnt Swamp	Cary Wilkins	J. S. Wilkins	F. Prevatte
1881	Reedy Branch	Cary Wilkins	J. S. Wilkins	Cary Wilkins
1882	Magnolia	Cary Wilkins	J. S. Wilkins	J. W. Blanks
1883	Mt. Pleasant	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	Cary Wilkins
1884	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1885	Mt. Olive	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	Jordan Chavis
1883	Mt. Pleasant	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	J. W. Blanks
1887	Oak Grove	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	Jordan Chavis
1888	Reedy Branch	Gilbert Locklear	E. Sampson	Gilbert Locklear
1889	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1890	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1891	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1892	Magnolia	J. W. Blanks	Joseph Sampson	S. McLeod
1893	Burnt Swamp	J. W. Blanks	Joseph Sampson	A. D. Locklear
1894	Harper's Ferry	Cary Wilkins	A. S. Locklear	Wm. Sampson
1895	Piney Grove	Cary Wilkins	A. S. Locklear	A. D. Locklear
1896	Oak Grove	Cary Wilkins	Joseph Sampson	Gilbert Locklear
1897	Mt. Olive	Cary Wilkins	Joseph Sampson	Gilbert Locklear
1898	Deep Branch	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	None
1899	Burnt Swamp	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	A. D. Locklear
1900	Reedy Branch	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	Jordan Chavis
1901	Harper's Ferry	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	P. P. Locklear
1902	Piney Grove	Wm. Sampson	Joseph Sampson	J. J. Bell
1903	Deep Branch	J. W. Blanks	E. Sampson	Wm. Sampson
1904	Reedy Branch	Wm. Sampson	E. Sampson	A. D. Locklear
1905	Piney Grove	Gilbert Locklear	A. S. Locklear	E. F. Warlax
1906	Oak Grove	Gilbert Locklear	W. G. Hunt	J. E. Hunt
1907	Burnt Swamp	Gilbert Locklear	A. N. Locklear	J. J. Bell
1908	Mt. Olive	J. E. Hunt	A. N. Locklear	J. W. Blanks
1909	Bear Swamp	J. W. Blanks	A. N. Locklear	J. C. Clark
1910	Reedy Branch	J. J. Bell	A. N. Locklear	P. P. Locklear
1911	Harper's Ferry	J. J. Bell	A. N. Locklear	A. T. Taylor
1912	Deep Branch	J. J. Bell	A. N. Locklear	M. L. Brewington
1913	Mt. Olive	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	Z. B. Brooks
1914	Reedy Branch	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	W. G. Hunt
1915	Deep Branch	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	J. J. Bell
1916	Mt. Airy	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	S. S. Lowry
1917	Oak Grove	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	D. P. Locklear
1918	Mt. Olive	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	J. C. Clark
1919	Antioch	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	J. C. Clark
1920	Deep Branch	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	S. J. Chavis
1921	Piney Grove	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	H. E. Coleman
1922	Reedy Branch	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	J. J. Bell
1923	Harper's Ferry	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	S. A. Hammonds
1924	Mt. Airy	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	J. C. Clark
1925	Bear Swamp	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	J. E. Hunt
1926	Mt. Olive	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	S. A. Hammonds
1927	Bethel Hill	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	S. A. Hammonds
1928	Antioch	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	L. W. Jacobs
1929	Bear Swamp	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	J. W. Beagle
1930	Reedy Branch	S. A. Hammonds	A. N. Locklear	L. A. Maynor
1931	Mt. Airy	S. A. Hammonds	A. N. Locklear	None
1932	Mt. Moriah	S. A. Hammonds	A. N. Locklear	C. E. Locklear
1933	Piney Grove	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	S. A. Hammonds
1934	Ten Mile Center	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	L. W. Jacobs
1935	Harper's Ferry	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	G. J. Chavis
1936	Bear Swamp	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	C. H. Maynor
1937	Deep Branch	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	Dawley Maynor
1938	Mt. Olive	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	L. W. Jacobs
1939	Harper's Ferry	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	C. E. Locklear
1940	Mt. Airy	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	S. A. Hammonds
1941	Berea	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	Roy Maynor
1942	Bear Swamp			
	Bethel Hill	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	G. J. Chavis
1943	Mt. Airy			
	Reedy Branch	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	T. M. Swett
1944	Pembroke First			
	Gray Pond	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Percell Locklear
1945	Piney Grove			
	Berea	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Ernest Gregg
1946	Oak Grove			
	Mt. Moriah	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Dawley Maynor
1947	Pleasant View			
	Bear Swamp	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Harvie Brewington
1948	Mt. Olive			
	Deep Branch	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	W. Earl Robinson
1949	Harper's Ferry			
	Cedar Grove	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	L. W. Jacobs

# HISTORICAL TABLE

Date	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1950	Mt. Elim			
1951	Mt. Airy	C. E. Locklear	J. L. Carter	J. E. Hammonds
	Pembroke First			
	Reedy Branch	C. E. Locklear	J. L. Carter	W. W. Black
1952	Pembroke Camp			
	Piney Grove	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	M. A. Huggins
1953	Harper's Ferry			
	Bear Swamp	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Arch McMillan
1954	Reedy Branch			
	Union	Roy Maynor	J. L. Carter	P. M. Dorr
1955	Mt. Airy			
	New Bethel	Roy Maynor	J. L. Carter	A. P. Stephens
1956	Harper's Ferry			
	Piney Grove	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	D. J. Long
1957	Mt. Elim			
	New Hope	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	C. E. Locklear
1958	Pembroke First			
	Reedy Branch	C. E. Locklear	J. L. Carter	Clyde B. Simpson
1959	Mt. Moriah			
	Bear Swamp	C. E. Locklear	J. L. Carter	W. R. Wagoner
1960	Island Grove			
	Deep Branch	Roy Maynor	J. L. Carter	D. M. Branch
1961	Smyrna			
	Pleasant View	Roy W. Maynor	J. L. Carter	
1962	Mt. Airy			
	Berea	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	W. R. Griggs
1963	Harper's Ferry			
	New Hope	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	L. P. Hardy
1964	Berea			
	New Point	English Jones	J. L. Carter	C. W. Maynor
1965	Mount Olive			
	Bear Swamp	English Jones	J. L. Carter	Ben F. Broadway
1966	Reedy Branch			
	Mt. Airy	English Jones	J. L. Carter	English Jones

# *Statistical Tables*

Table A—CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

Churches	Pastors and Addresses	Year Organized	Location 1-2-3-4-5-6-7	Services 1-2-3-4	Revival Meetings Held	Missions started this year	Local Missions Operated by Church	Total Baptisms	Other Additions	Mem. lost by letter, death, revision church roll, etc.	Resident Members	Nonresident Members	Grand Total Present Mem.	Members Received from non-Baptist Churches	Members lost to non-Baptist Churches	State Paper in Budget?	Pastor's Annual Salary (Whether had a pastor full year or not)
Antioch	Sanford Locklear, R1, Pembroke 28372	1901	1	1	1	1	1	3	—	3	35	4	39	—	—	—	\$ 500
Bear Swamp	T. M. Swett, R1, Rowland	1882	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	403	—	403	—	—	—	800
Berea	Lawrence P. Hardy, Pembroke 28372	1926	3	4	1	1	1	20	7	4	226	20	246	—	—	—	5200
Bethel Hill	Glennie Locklear, R4, Red Springs	1917	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	35	35	80	—	—	—	433
Bethel	Lawrence A. Maynor, R1, Pembroke 28372	1939	1	1	1	1	1	59	—	8	50	9	59	—	—	—	600
Burnt Swamp	A. A. Locke, Pembroke 28372	1880	1	1	1	1	1	19	1	6	43	14	57	—	—	—	480
Cape Fear	Grady Cummings, R1, Pembroke 28372	1922	1	1	1	1	1	18	—	13	68	—	68	—	—	—	440
Cedar Grove	David Brevington, R1, St. Pauls	1930	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	25	20	45	—	—	—	400
Cherokee Chapel	Rufus Burns, R4, Lumberton	1941	1	1	1	1	1	17	—	3	150	20	170	—	1	—	400
Deep Branch	T. M. Swett, R1, Rowland	1880	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	1	24	15	39	—	—	—	300
Dogwood	Isiah Locklear, Wakulla	1951	1	1	1	1	1	9	—	—	31	18	49	—	—	—	400
Galilee	Wade Locklear, Red Springs	1950	1	1	1	1	1	4	—	—	60	10	70	—	—	—	400
Gospel Tabernacle	Rufus Burns, R4, Lumberton	1911	1	1	1	1	1	5	3	—	397	48	445	—	—	—	3600
Gray Pond	L. W. Jacobs, Pembroke 28372	1954	1	1	1	1	1	8	1	—	100	4	104	—	—	—	900
Harpers Ferry	J. E. Hammonds, R3, Lumberton	1954	1	1	1	1	1	12	—	1	35	—	35	—	—	—	100
Island Grove	Thurman Chavis, Laurinburg	1954	1	1	1	1	1	3	—	—	6	306	69	—	—	—	2145
Leith Creek	Joseph Lowry, R1, Raeford	1956	1	4	2	2	2	30	10	3	313	100	413	—	2	—	600
Lowrys Chapel	L. W. Jacobs, Pembroke 28372	1915	1	1	1	1	1	9	1	4	132	40	172	—	—	—	480
Mount Airy	C. H. Richardson, Box 456, Nashville 27856	1915	1	1	1	1	1	7	—	—	82	51	133	—	—	—	600
Mount Bethel	King Maynor, R4, Lumberton	1924	1	4	2	2	2	3	1	4	160	26	186	—	—	—	800
Mount Elm	A. A. Locke, Pembroke 28372	1886	1	1	1	1	1	7	—	—	202	17	219	—	—	—	400
Mount Moriah	Harvey E. Brevington, R2, Clinton	1886	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	72	—	72	—	—	—	276
Mount Olive	C. E. Locklear, Pembroke 28372	1910	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	4	1	43	3	46	—	—	2400
New Bethel	Sanford Locklear, R1, Pembroke 28372	1945	1	1	1	1	1	2	—	—	13	21	34	—	—	—	381
New Hope	R. W. Maynor, Pembroke 28372	1945	1	1	1	1	1	2	—	—	149	—	149	—	—	—	495
New Point	R. W. Hunt, R3, Box 113, Lumberton	1891	1	1	1	1	1	11	3	3	134	156	290	—	—	—	780
Oak Grove	Grady R. Hunt, R3, Box 113, Lumberton	1886	1	1	1	1	1	3	—	—	75	—	75	—	—	—	612
Pee Dee Chapel	Coolidge Cummings, R1, Rowland	1897	3	4	1	1	1	1	—	—	950	—	950	—	—	—	500
Pembroke First	R. W. Maynor, Pembroke 28372	1882	1	1	1	1	1	3	—	—	250	—	250	—	—	—	1200
Piney Grove	C. W. Maynor, R1, Maxton	1901	1	1	1	1	1	5	10	9	142	—	142	—	—	—	500
Pleasant View	Vester Oxendine, R1, Maxton	1882	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	80	—	80	—	—	—	360
Reedy Branch	Rufus Burns, R4, Lumberton	1888	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	64	2	66	—	—	—	240
Smyrna	King Maynor, R4, Lumberton	1954	1	1	1	1	1	13	—	—	147	3	147	—	—	—	900
Tabernacle	Douglas Mitchell, R3, Lumberton	1924	1	1	1	1	1	6	1	1	61	5	66	—	—	—	500
Ten Mile Center	Wade Locklear, Red Springs	1965	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	204
Thompson	Vester Locklear, R1, Maxton	1919	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	900
Union		1927	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	500
Zion Hill		1919	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	500

Churches	Delton Ray Locklear, Associational Superintendent Route 1, Pembroke, N. C. 28372	Sunday School Superintendents and Addresses										Teachers & Officers Meet:					Total V.B.S. Enrollment																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																			
		Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People, Single	Young People, Married	Young People, Away	Adults (25-34)	Adults (35-64)	Adults (65 up)	Extension Department	General Officers	Mission Enrollment		Total Enrollment	Average Weekly Attendance	Church V.B.S. Enrollment	Mission V.B.S. Enrollment																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																															
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Table C-TRAINING UNION

Churches	Tommy D. Swett, Associational Director Route 1, Rowland, N. C.	Training Union Directors and Addresses	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Intermediates	Young People, Single	Young People, Married	Adults (25-34)	Adults (35-64)	Adults (65-over)	General Officers	Mission Enrollment	Total Training Union Enrol.	Avg. Weekly Attendance	Prog. of New Member Orient. <sup>2</sup>	A Def. Leadership Training Prog. <sup>3</sup>	Does Church Have
Antioch		Miss Syble Lowry, P. O. Pembroke 28372	7	6	7	9	9	4		8				43	31			
Bear Swamp		Earl Sampson, Pembroke 28372		12	25	33	34	22		10		3		146	75			
Berea																		
Bethel Hill																		
Beulah																		
Burnt Swamp																		
Cape Fear																		
Cedar Grove																		
Cherokee Chapel																		
Deep Branch		James R. Sampson, R1, Pembroke 28372			7	12	15	8		18	2			60	40			
Dogwood																		
Galilee																		
Gospel Tabernacle																		
Gray Pond																		
Harpers Ferry		T. D. Swett, R1, Rowland	10			9				11	4			34	26			
Island Grove		Graham Warriax, R1, Pembroke 28372								10				45	30			
Leith Creek																		
Lowrys Chapel																		
Mount Airy		Joseph Locklear, R1, Pembroke 28372			18	24	20	12		8	4			86	66			
Mount Bethel		W. R. Richardson, R1, Box 175		4	11	13	12	10		13				63	63			
Mount Elm		Anner Margaret Dial, R2, Red Springs			8	10	20	5		8				51	30			
Mount Moriah		Woodrow Locklear, R1, Lumberton		8	12	20	15	20		8				83	60			
Mount Olive																		
New Bethel		Clifton I. Simmons, R2, Clinton			11	19	13	10		24		5		82	50			
New Hope		R. T. Freeman, R1, Box 52H, Bolton 28423	5	6	3	10	8			18	12	3		63	60			
New Point																		
Oak Grove																		
Pee Dee Chapel																		
Pembroke First		Rev. Chesley Hammonds, Pembroke 28372		10		14	12	5		10		3		54	36			
Piney Grove		J. W. Hunt, R1, Fairmont 28340					3			6		2		20	20			
Pleasant View																		
Reedy Branch																		
Smyrna		Clayton Clark, R3, Fairmont 28340			4	10	8	9			12			47	32			
Tabernacle																		
Ten Mile Center																		
Thompson																		
Union																		
Zion Hill																		
Pandarrach Mission			12	56	106	194	178	112	14	78	92	12	22	877	619	2	1	

Table D-MUSIC MINISTRY

Churches	C. E. Oxendine, Associational Music Director Route 1, Rowland, N. C.	Music Director and Addresses											Beginners				Primaries				Juniors				Intermediates				Young People				Adults				Special groups (ensembles, choruses, etc.)				General Officers				Mission Enrolment				Total Enrolment				Average Weekly Attendance				Number Organized Choirs				Number New Music Groups																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																						

Table E—BROTHERHOOD WORK

Churches	Presidents or Directors of Men's Brotherhoods and Addresses	No. Crusader Chapters										Total Men	Mission Enrolment	Total Enrolment
		No. Crusader Chapters	Crusaders (9-11 yrs.) Enrol.	No. Pioneer Chapters	Pioneers (12-14 yrs.) Enrol.	No. Ambassador Chapters	Amb. (15-17 yrs.) Enrol.	Total RA Enrolment	Bapt. Young Men's Enrol.	Bapt. Men's Enrol.				
Berea	Marshall W. Locklear, P. O. Box 361, Pembroke	4	50	2	40	1	15	105		1	10		115	
Cape Fear	B. F. Maynor, 430 N. Plymouth St., Fayetteville	1	14					14					14	
Deep Branch	Clyde Brewington, R4, Box 137, Lumberton 28358	1	15					15					15	
Harpers Ferry	L. C. Oxendine, R1, Rowland									8	8		8	
Island Grove	Jimmie Bryant, Pembroke 28372													
Mount Airy	Herbert Locklear, Pembroke 28372	1	8	1	12			20					20	
Totals		7	87	3	52	1	15	154		9	18		172	



Table G—BUILDING—CHURCH LIBRARY

Churches	Church Librarians and Addresses	Cooperative Program % of Total Budget	Associational Missions Goal Coming Year, % of Total Budget	Value of Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	Money Spent on New Construction, Property for Local Church	Money Spent on Const., Prop. for Miss. Oper. by Ch.	Total Church Debt at End of Year	Total Amt. Paid on Ch. Debt. This Assoc. Year	Does Church Have Library?	Planned Reading Program?	Audio-Visuals?	Does Church Library Have Vertical File(s)?
Berea	Mrs. Dorothy Oxendine, Pembroke, 28372	12	2	14000	58000	3000	---	1127	3000	•	•	•	•
Cape Fear	Mrs. George Jacobs, East P. O., Fayetteville, 28301	10	10	1500	7875	---	---	---	---	•	---	---	---
Mount Airy	Miss Vernie M. Locklear, R1, Pembroke 28372	---	10	---	100000	13750	---	---	---	•	---	---	---
Mount Moriah	J. Marvin Hunt, R5, Box 166, Lumberton	10	10	---	15000	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Totals		32	14	15500	128675	16750	---	1127	3000	3	---	1	1

Churches	Treasurers and Addresses	Cooperative Program % of Budget	Total Receipts From Gifts	Pastor's Salary	Other Church Staff Salaries	Expended by Church Mis.	All Other Local Expenditures	Total Local Expenditures	No. of Tithers	Budget Prom. or Emphasis Used		
										None	Forward Program	Growth in Christ- ian Stewardship
Antioch	Mitchell Carter, 2904 Olive Dr., Lumberton 28358	15	1044	500	120	771	404	103		•		
Bear Swamp	Newman Oxendine, R4, Lumberton 28358			800	540	3455	5566			•		
Berea	William X. Oxendine, Pembroke 28372	12	13869	5200	1114	3210	1814	33		•		
Bethel Hill	James H. Hammonds, R3, Box 309, Lumberton			3755	433	3210	3643			•		
Beulah	Miss Murtis Locklear, R1, Rowland	5	3000	600	104	1515	2319			•		
Burnt Swamp	Hubert Locklear, R4, Box 496A, Lumberton		4209	480		3915	4395	2		•		
Cape Fear	B. F. Maynor, 430 North Plymouth St., Fayetteville			1471		144	340	2047		•		
Cedar Grove	Josephine L. Strickland, P. O. Box 312, Fairmont	10		360	300	66	400			•		
Deep Branch	Anna Hunt, R4, Lumberton		4348	400	90	105	290			•		
Dogwood	Mr. Mozell Hunt, R1, Rowland		95			105	891			•		
Galilee	Marson Locklear, Pembroke			300						•		
Gray Pond	Mrs. Arlma Clark, R3, Box 311, Laurinburg		800	400	545	3564	7709	12		•		
Harpers Ferry	John E. Cummings, R1, Rowland	10	8656	3600		1000	1900			•		
Island Grove	E. L. Jones, R3, Maxton			100		500	600			•		
Lowry's Chapel	Mr. Vardell Clark, R2, Maxton			2145	660	8091	10896	15		•		
Mount Airy	John L. Carter, R1, Box 266, Pembroke 28372	11624	3000	600	100	200	900			•		
Mount Bethel	M. C. Greer, R1, Hollister, 27844	20		480	96	2000	2576			•		
Mount Edin	Ivory Henderson, R1, Red Springs			625	120	1123	1868	6		•		
Mount Moriah	Raeferd Lowery, R1, Box 267, St. Pauls	10	2558	400	144	1700	1414	2		•		
Mount Olive	Tessie Lee Hunt, 312 E. 13th St., Lumberton	10	7338	400	350	160	3280			•		
New Bethel	Ronnie C. Simmons, R3, Clinton	6	6813	800	200	2497	5097			•		
New Hope	Mrs. Leta Jacobs, R1, Box 30B, Clinton		8268	2400		381	626			•		
New Point	Keirns Morgan, R2, Lumberton		2950	276		495	1007	3		•		
Oak Grove	Kayola Clark, R3, Box 281, Laurinburg 28352			381		216	996			•		
Pee Dee Chapel	Mrs. Maggie Clark, P. O. Box 173, Clio, S. C.	5	340	495		612	1100	4		•		
Pembroke First	Billy Mavnor, R1, Pembroke 28372		5600	780	240	996	1995			•		
Piney Grove	Delmer Hunt, R3, Fairmont			500	200	5200	6900			•		
Pleasant View	Telford Hunt, R2, Box 383, Fairmont 28340	4400		1200		3593	6384	8		•		
Reedy Branch	Oscar Chavis, R4, Lumberton 28358		7338	500	150	1271	5384	18		•		
Smyrna	John F. Revels, 1212 Jacobs St., Lumberton	2	2102	500		847	1507	19		•		
Tabernacle	Grover Oxendine, Pembroke		2067	360		1478	1838			•		
Ten Mile Center	Mrs. Hezzie Revels, R1, Box 458, Lumberton		8124	240			1047			•		
Thompson	Mrs. Mabel S. Dial, R3, Box 129, Lumberton			900	300	1871	3071	10		•		
Union	H. S. Fields, R1, Box 87, Lumberton		3564	650		1247	1897	2		•		
Zion Hill	Fred McMellian, R3, Box 351, Lumberton		915	170		94	264			•		
Dundarrach Mission	Wilford Locklear, R1, Raeford									•		
Totals		106	113634	30058	5373	4286	60135	101681	136	29	4	1

Table I—MISSION EXPENDITURES

Churches	Clerks of Churches and Addresses	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions	Designated: State Missions	Designated: S.B.C. Home Missions	Designated: S.B.C., Foreign Missions	Designated: Christian Education, Schools	Designated: Children's Homes (Cash plus goods)	Designated: Hospitals	Designated: Home for Aged	Other desig. objects (Bible Soc., Temp. League, etc.)	Total Mission Expenditures
Antioch	Mitchell Carter, 2904 Olive Dr., Lumberton 28358	85										153
Bear Swamp	Glennie Maynor, R1, Pembroke 28372	216	145	40	650	145	644	15	15	6		686
Berea	James H. Brevington	895	237		40	420		50	50		203	1895
Bethel Hill	James H. Hammonds		65					19	29			113
Beulah	Josephus Locklear, R1, Box 414, Pembroke 28372	40	100			20		30	25		60	275
Burnt Swamp	Marvin Howington, P. O. Box 575, Pembroke 28372			10				40				75
Cape Fear	Mrs. Kathleen Groves, E. P. O., Fayetteville	14	125	15	104		18					248
Cedar Grove	Miss Jo Ann Lockley, Fairmont	15	25									40
Deep Branch	Luther E. Dimery, R1, Box 61, Pembroke 28372	100	150	25	5	5		50	38	5	133	512
Dogwood	Laney Hunt, R1, Rowland	20	30		25			85	15		37	196
Galilee	Delselna Locklear					20		9				44
Gray Pond												
Harpers Ferry	Purnell Swett, R1, Rowland	727	600					100	100	100	395	2021
Island Grove	Willie P. Bryant, R3, Maxton	50						35				85
Lowry's Chapel	Mrs. Patricia Henderson, R1, Box 43A, Aberdeen		15						10	15		40
Mount Airy	R. W. Locklear, R1, Pembroke	393	215					63	57			728
Mount Bethel	W. R. Richardson, R1, Box 175, Hollister 27844			35	50	29		45	60			219
Mount Elm	Henry Dial, R4, Box 286C, Red Springs							30	107			137
Mount Moriah	Mrs. Marion Locklear, R1, Lumberton				35	50		18	25			127
Mount Olive	George Emanuel, R3, Box 297, Lumberton	13				5		50	20	20		107
New Bethel	Wilbert L. Bell, R3, Clinton	10	120			10		60	30	30		350
New Hope	Mrs. Mary A. Jacobs, R1, Box 30B, Bolton	200	350	25	25	25	25	150	50	50		825
New Point	Earlie Hunt, R2, Box 29C, Lumberton	40	102		15	25		25	40	10		232
Oak Grove	Kayola Clark, R3, Box 281, Laurinburg							18				68
Pee Dee Chapel	Miss Mary Bell Strong, Lake View, S. C.											25
Pembroke First	Horace S. Chavis, P. O. Box 525, Pembroke 28372	85	45		55	20		75	50	10		319
Pleasant View	Rev. Carlie Oxendine, R3, Fairmont 28340	300	280	25	83	38		53	25			199
Reedy Branch	Albert Hammonds, R4, Box 110, Lumberton	25	24	46	25	100		100	100	25		955
Smyrna	Glenn Hunt, R5, Box 203, Lumberton		85			46		50	12			242
Tabernacle	Grover Oxendine, Pembroke 28372											229
Ten Mile Center	Mrs. Lela Hunt, R1, Box 68, St. Pauls	160	210	35		79		90	100	10		684
Thompson	Hardwick Dial, R3, Box 130, Lumberton	19						25	30			19
Union	Jenson Sampson, R1, Box 179, Pembroke		40									95
Zion Hill	Harvey Wearms, R1, Box 546, St. Pauls	141	144					15	25	15	43	368
Dundarrach Mission	Eula Jacobs, Lumber Bridge			23								63
Totals		3548	3182	279	1152	1055	669	1200	1263	271	921	12374

Table J—SPECIAL INFORMATION

Churches	Chairmen of Deacons and Addresses	Annuity Bd. Plan for Pastor	Annuity Staff	Church Have Rec. Com.?	Church Have Council or Cabinet?	Christian Life Committee?	Christian Education Committee?	Kindergarten?	Extension Bible Classes?	Student Night at Christmas (1965)	On-To-College Day?	Baptist College and Seminary Day?	No. Ordained for the Ministry During Year
Bear Swamp	Mr. U. P. Chavis, R1, Pembroke 28372	•		•									
Berea	Sanford Sampson, Pembroke 28372												
Bethel Hill	S. V. Emmanuel, R1, Shannon			•						•			
Beulah	McKinley Strickland, R1, Rowland												
Burnt Swamp	Hubert Locklear, R4, Box 496A, Lumberton												
Cape Fear	James Groves, East P. O., Fayetteville												
Deep Branch	Bowman Freeman, R1, Pembroke 28372												
Galilee	Claudie Locklear, Shannon												
Harpers Ferry	Dr. English Jones, Pembroke 28372	•		•									
Island Grove	Roy Locklear, R1, Pembroke												
Lowrys Chapel	Roscoe Lowry, R1, Box 23, Red Springs			•						•			
Mount Airy	Herbert Locklear, R1, Pembroke												
Mount Bethel	Percy Richardson, R1, Hollister 27844												
Mount Elm	Charlie Oxendine, R1, Box 136, Red Springs												
Mount Moriah	G. H. Locklear, R1, Lumberton			•									
Mount Olive	Stenson Revels, R3, Lumberton										•		
New Bethel	James D. Brevington, R3, Clinton			•									
New Point	Earlie Hunt, R2, Box 296, Lumberton												
Oak Grove	Sniley Chavis, R3, Lumberton												
Pee Dee Chapel	John L. Cummings, P. O. Polson St., McColl, S. C.												
Pembroke First	Grady Holmes, Post Office, Pembroke 28372												
Piney Grove	W. O. Hammonds, Pembroke			•						•			
Pleasant View	Carson Freeman, R2, Fairmont												
Reedy Branch	Grady Chavis, R1, Lumberton	•								•			
Smyrna	Clarence Hammonds, R5, Lumberton												
Thompson	Rudolph Dial, R3, Box 129, Lumberton									•			
Union	H. S. Fields, R1, Box 87, Lumberton												
Zion Hill	Leander Oxendine												
Totals		3		4	3		1	1	2	5		1	















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**Reverend James Edmond Hammonds**

**1899-1967**

"I am now ready to be offered, and the time of my departure is at hand. I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing." (II Timothy 4: 6-8)

Thus ends the life of the Reverend James Edmond Hammonds, born April 2, 1899, who went to be with his Lord and Master, July 24, 1967. Reverend Hammonds was united in Holy Wedlock with Miss Marie Brewington on March 8, 1930. To this union were born five (5) children: Lee Edwin, Eugene, Thaddeus, Mary Louise, and Sylvia.

Reverend Hammonds began his ministry in 1933. His first pastorate was Oak Grove Baptist Church. Other pastorates include Smyrna, New Point, Cape Fear Mission, Bethel Hill, Zion Hill, and Island Grove Baptist Churches. He was pastor at Island Grove during the time of illness and death.

As a young man, he served in the United States Army at Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

He was a leader in the Burnt Swamp Association, having served as Moderator of the Union for two terms. He also served as Chairman of the Pastors and Deacons Conference.

We think of Reverend Hammonds as "God's Man" on earth; he is "God's Man" in Heaven.

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# **BURNT SWAMP BAPTIST ASSOCIATION CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES 1967-68**

## **November**

- 5 Sunday School Meeting—Mt. Airy
- 6 Preachers and Deacons—Zion Hill
- 13 B. T. U. Officers and Leaders Conference—First Baptist
- 25 Executive Council Meeting

## **December**

- 4 M-Night—Mt. Airy
- 11 Preachers and Deacons—Berea
- 23 Executive Board Meeting—
- 27 Executive Council Meeting—

## **January**

- 1 Brotherhood Meeting—Pembroke First
- 7 Sunday School Meeting—Deep Branch
- 1-5 Bible Study Week
- 8 Preachers and Deacons—Island Grove
- 15 B. T. U. Executive Officers Meeting—Deep Branch
- 21 Baptist Men's Day
- 22 Executive Council Meeting

## **February**

- 5 Preachers and Deacons—Mt. Olive
- 12 B. T. U. Officers and Leader Council—Mt. Airy
- 11-17 Y. W. A. Focus Week Banquet—Mt. Airy
- 26-27 Associational Evangelistic Conference—Harper's Ferry
- 26 Executive Council Meeting—

## **March**

- 4 Preachers and Deacons—Reedy Branch
- 3 Associational Sunday School Meeting—Deep Branch
- 9 Associational W. M. U. Executive Board Meeting—(place to be announced)

- 10-15 Week of Prayer—All Churches
- 11 Mass Meeting and Junior Memory Work, Sword Drill and Young People's Speaking Tournament—First Baptist
- 17-24 Youth Week—All Churches
- 23 Youth Night—Berea
- 29 Executive Board Meeting—
- 30 Union—Pleasant View
- 30 Annual W. M. U. Meeting—Cape Fear, Fayetteville

## **April**

- 1 Brotherhood Meeting—Bear Swamp
- 7 Sunday School Meeting—Mt. Olive
- 8 Preachers and Deacons—Gospel Tabernacle
- 15 B. T. U. Executive Officers and Committee Meeting—Berea
- 22 Executive Council Meeting—

## **May**

- 6 Preachers and Deacons—Beulah
- 12-18 G. A. Focus Week Banquet—Burnt Swamp Assembly
- 13 Associational Training Union Officers and Leaders Conference—Island Grove
- 27 Executive Council Meeting—

## **June**

- 3 Preachers and Deacons—Bear Swamp
- 10-14 R. A. Camp—Burnt Swamp Assembly
- 10 Mass Meeting—Bear Swamp
- 17-21 G. A. Camp—Burnt Swamp Assembly
- 24 Executive Council Meeting—
- 28 Executive Board Meeting—
- 29 Union—Berea
- 30 Associational W. M. U. Executive Board Meeting—Deep Branch

## July

- 3 Brotherhood Meeting—Island Grove
- 8 Preachers and Deacons—Ten Mile Center
- 10-11 W. M. U. Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana
- 15 Training Union Executive Committee Meeting—Reedy Branch
- 22 Executive Council Meeting—

## August

- 4 Sunday School Meeting—Ten Mile Center
- 5 Preachers and Deacons Meeting—
- 8-14 W. M. U. Conference—Ridgecrest
- 12 B. T. U. Officers and Leaders Conference—First Baptist
- 11-17 Sunbeams Focus Week

## September

- 2 Preachers and Deacons—Piney Grove
- 9 Training Union Mass Meeting—Island Grove
- 23 Executive Council Meeting
- 27 Executive Board Meeting
- 28 Union—
- 29 Associational W. M. U. Executive Board Meeting—Bear Swamp

## October

- 7 Preachers and Deacons—Cedar Grove
- Training Union Executive Committee Meeting—Mt. Airy
- 17-18 Associational Meeting—Deep Branch Church, October 17; Pleasant View Church, October 18, 1968
- 28 Executive Council Meeting

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Alford Cox	Route 3, Laurinburg
Grady Cummings	Route 1, Pembroke
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C. E. Locklear	Pembroke
Garth Locklear	Pembroke
Glassie Locklear	Route 4, Red Springs
Isiah Locklear	Wakulla
M. C. Locklear	Route 4, Lumberton
P. C. Locklear	Bolton
Sanford Locklear	Route 1, Pembroke
Wade Locklear	Red Springs
Winford Locklear	Route 1, Pembroke
Joseph Lowry	Route 1, Raeford
S. S. Lowry	Pembroke
Welton Lowry	Pembroke
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Dawley Maynor	Pembroke
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S. V. Emanuel  
John Russell Freeman  
Johnnie Huggins  
Governor Hunt  
Grady Hunt  
Belford Jacobs  
Roscoe Jacobs  
Arthur Locklear

Bradford Locklear  
Carson Paul Locklear  
Edmond Locklear  
J. R. Locklear  
Luther Locklear  
Maurice Locklear  
Pearson Locklear  
Britton Maynor  
Mack Norton  
Carlie Oxendine  
Charlie Oxendine  
Floyd Oxendine  
James Sanderson  
P. R. Swett  
Roosevelt Thompson

# MESSENGERS

ANTIOCH—Mrs. Iola Chavis, Mrs. Gerline Locklear, Mrs. Christian Locklear

BEAR SWAMP—Gus Deese, Marcus Johnson, Benford Dial, Proctor Locklear, Mrs. Zelma Locklear

BEREA—Mrs. Nora Sampson, Mrs. Mary F. Maynor, Miss I. Ruth Martin, Mrs. Josephine Barnes, Marshall Locklear, James Brewington

BETHEL HILL—Levie Chavis, Dannie Chavis

BEULAH—McKinley Strickland, Mrs. McKinley Strickland, Mrs. Lucy Oxendine

BURNT SWAMP—W. O. Maynor, Mrs. Debra Carter, Mrs. Lorine Nobles, Mrs. Bessie Locklear

CAPE FEAR—Mrs. Maryland Gibbs, Mrs. Audie Mae Hunt, Mrs. Kathleen Groves

CEDAR GROVE—Mrs. Annie Lou Hunt, Mrs. Betty Ruth Locklear, Mrs. Bloomie Oxendine

CHEROKEE CHAPEL—Jim Hammonds, Mrs. Bertha Hammonds, Mrs. Ruth Hammonds

DEEP BRANCH—C. A. Sampson, Clyde Brewington

DOGWOOD—Luther Hunt, Mrs. Pearline Oxendine, Mrs. Ethel Hunt

GALILEE—Mrs. Delphia Locklear

GOSPEL TABERNACLE—Mrs. Downie Locklear, Mrs. May Jacobs, Mrs. Lizzie Hunt

GRAY POND—

HARPER'S FERRY—L. C. Oxendine, Simon Locklear, Willy Jones, Carson Locklear, Willoughby Jones, Horace Jacobs, Mrs.

Blanchie Oxendine, Roosevelt Thompson

ISLAND GROVE—Robert Collins, Lacy Locklear, Nash Locklear

LEITH CREEK—A. D. Driggers, Mrs. Clamy Locklear, Mrs. Willie Locklear

LOWRY'S CHAPEL—Pearson Locklear

MOUNT AIRY—Joseph Locklear, R. W. Locklear, S. B. Locklear, James S. Oxendine, Mrs. Strawdy Cummings

MOUNT BETHEL—Fletcher Lynch, James Mills, Theodora Lynch

MOUNT ELIM—David Deese

MOUNT MORIAH—Leonard Carter, Martin Jacobs, Mrs. James McGirt

MOUNT OLIVE—Ambrose Locklear, Mrs. Fearby Hunt

NEW BETHEL—Mrs. Pauline Roller, Mrs. Perlle Brewington, Mrs. Cordell Brewington

NEW HOPE—Ossie Jacobs, Mrs. Lannie Graham, Mrs. Sarah Jacobs, Mrs. Mildred Freeman

NEW POINT—Marvin Sampson, Mrs. Larue Young, Mrs. Gladys Oxendine

OAK GROVE—Mrs. Kayola Clark, Sinclair Clark, Neil Goins

PEE DEE CHAPEL—Tom Jacobs, Floyd Oxendine, Melvin Locklear

PEMBROKE FIRST—Horace Chavis, Grady Holmes, Mrs. Zadie Hammonds

PINEY GROVE—Kelmer Hunt, Ellis Jones, W. O. Hammonds

PLEASANT VIEW—Elbert Oxendine, Daniel M. Locklear, Mrs. Carson Freeman

REEDY BRANCH—W. C. Rogers, Norman Hammonds, Mrs. Letha Hammonds, Grady Chavis, Wessie Chavis, Oscar Chavis, Clayton Clark

SMYRNA—Mrs. Fannie B. Lowry, W. F. Revels, D. L. Lowry

TABERNACLE—Talf Lowry, James T. Woodell, Grover C. Oxendine

TEN MILE CENTER—Quinnie Hunt, Evander Chavis, Mrs. Vernie Chavis

THOMPSON—Horace Dial, Mrs. Mable S. Dial, Mrs. Annie M. Hardin

UNION—H. S. Fields

ZION HILL—Mrs. Reba Locklear

DUNDARRACH MISSION—

ELIZABETH HEIGHTS—Willie McGee, Odell Morgan

WEST END MISSION—

**PROCEEDINGS**  
of the  
**BURNT SWAMP ASSOCIATION**

Held With  
**HARPER'S FERRY CHURCH**  
October 12, 1967

**Thursday Morning Session**

1. The Ninth Annual Session of the Burnt Swamp Baptist Association convened at Harper's Ferry Church, Pembroke, North Carolina, at 10:00 A.M., Thursday, October 12, 1967. The song service was conducted by Mr. C. E. Oxendine of Harper's Ferry Church, with Mrs. Mabel O. Lowry at the piano. The group sang "Rescue the Perishing".

2. The devotion was conducted by Mr. Purnell Swett. He read St. John Chapter 17, and gave comments. Then he offered prayer.

3. The moderator gave a cordial welcome to all present and declared the Ninth Annual Session of the Burnt Swamp Association ready for the transaction of business.

4. The clerk distributed mimeographed copies of the compiled report of the activities of the churches of the Burnt Swamp Association year. By motion the report was approved.

5. The election of the clerk was taken up and John L. Carter was re-elected.

6. A report on Seminary Work and Baptist Foundation was brought by Mr. Neil Peyton from North Carolina School for the Deaf. He explained how North Carolina Baptists were doing a great work for the needy.

7. Miss I. Ruth Martin, Bible professor at Pembroke State College, gave a very interesting report on the services rendered by the American Bible Society. She gave a historical report of the Society and their work in making it possible for all peoples to have the Bible in their native language.

8. Dr. English Jones, President of Pembroke State College, Pembroke, North Carolina, gave a detailed report on the work of the Cooperative Program. Dr. Jones emphasized the fact that we give because we understand why and what we are giving to and for what cause.

9. The group sang "I Surrender All", and a skit was given by a group of young people from Berea Church. The title of the skit

was "Excuses for not Serving as Workers in Our Church". The skit was very interesting and informative.

10. A group from Reedy Branch Church gave an effective program on Giving. The group sang "Bring Your Tithes into the Storehouse". The program was very impressive. It brought out the fact that we took care of all our needs and desires and left the fragments for the church. Mrs. Albert Hammonds, director of the program, offered prayer and we adjourned for lunch.

### Thursday Afternoon

11. The Afternoon Session opened with the group singing "Stand Up for Jesus".

12. Miss Anna Mae Locklear gave a very impressive testimony about the work of the Missionary Program of North Carolina. Her report was very spiritual and inspiring.

13. Mr. John Milton, from New Zealand and now studying at the Baptist Hospital, brought a report on the work of the North Carolina Baptists through the hospital. He praised the hospital staff for the services that they are rendering.

14. Mr. Delton Ray Locklear, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, gave a report on the Association's responsibility for informing the people. He stressed the importance of working together in helping the entire church program.

15. Mr. Marse Grant, Biblical Recorder Representative from Raleigh, North Carolina, emphasized the importance of communication. He stressed the need to read and to read selectively, and to read a variety of articles.

16. The report on Christian Education was discussed by Miss I. Ruth Martin. She emphasized the importance of teaching the truth to our children. She stated that parents are responsible for the molding of their children's lives. This duty should not be left to the public. The Home is the most important institution.

17. The Treasurer gave a report on the finances contributed by the churches of the Burnt Swamp Association for the Annual Session.

18. The group sang "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" and Reverend L. A. Maynor offered prayer.

Reverend C. W. Maynor  
Moderator  
John L. Clark  
Clerk

**Friday Morning Session  
PINEY GROVE CHURCH**

**October 13, 1967**

19. The song service was led by Mr. C. E. Oxendine, with Mrs. Mabel O. Lowry at the piano. The group sang "Bring Them In".

20. Reverend Roy W. Maynor, Pastor of Piney Grove Church, gave the group a cordial welcome. He presented Reverend L. A. Maynor, former Pastor of Piney Grove Church. Reverend Roy W. Maynor presented Reverend Milliard Maynor to conduct the devotion. Reverend Maynor read Scripture and commented on Witnessing and offered prayer.

21. The Moderator welcomed the visitors and declared the group ready for business.

22. The Reading Clerk read the minutes of Thursday's Session and they were approved.

23. The report on the Baptist Children's Home brought by Reverend Chesley Hammonds was very interesting. Reverend Hammonds introduced Mr. Vernon Sparrow. Mr. Sparrow gave a very interesting and informative talk on the work of North Carolina Baptists in taking care of the children.

24. The Training Union Report was given by Mr. Tommy D. Swett. He stated that the Training Union was on the upward trend and we can expect greater success in the Training efforts. He encouraged the group to feel their obligations to the young people in helping them to choose the right practices in these trying times. Mr. Swett read a slate of Associational Officers. The slate was approved. (See Directory)

25. Mr. Roger Crook, Professor at Meredith College, discussed Christian Education. He discussed the importance of Bible study. He recognized Mr. McManus from Gardner-Webb College. He stated that the Baptist Colleges are doing good work as educational institutions.

26. The group sang "Just When I Need Him Most". Reverend Coolidge Cummings, Pastor of Island Grove Church, brought the annual message. He read 1st Samuel, Verses 1-10. The subject was "God's Will for Our Lives". The message was very spiritual and inspiring. Reverend L. W. Jacobs offered prayer and we adjourned for lunch.

**Afternoon Session**

27. The group sang "Love Lifted Me" led by Brother C. E. Oxendine and Reverend C. E. Locklear offered prayer.

28. The Moderator declared the body ready for business. The Treasurer gave a financial report of the amount received during the annual session. The report showed \$2,437.00 had been received.

29. Mr. John E. Cummings reported the 1967-68 budget in the amount of \$31,400.00. By motion, the report was approved.

30. The Mission Report was given by Reverend C. S. Warriax. The report showed the progress in Mission Work in the Association. By motion, the report was approved.

31. The Obituary Report was read by Reverend L. A. Maynor. By motion, the report was approved.

32. The Petition Committee reported that no petition for membership to the Association had been made. By motion, the report was approved.

33. The Registration Committee Chairman, Mrs. Albert Hammond gave the report which was approved by motion.

34. The Resolution Committee report was given by R. W. Locklear. A motion was carried that Reverend James E. Hammonds' picture be put in the 1967 Associational Minutes. By motion, the report was approved.

35. The Time and Place Report was reported by Reverend C. E. Locklear. The first day will be at Deep Branch Church, Pembroke, North Carolina, on October 17, 1968. The second day at Pleasant View Church will be on October 18, 1968.

36. The Assembly Report was given by Reverend A. A. Lockee. He reported that \$1,957.25 has been donated to the Assembly. Mr. Marshall W. Locklear showed a sketch similar to what the Assembly Committee will propose to be built on the Assembly site in Pembroke, North Carolina. By motion, the report was approved.

37. The Advisory Board reported that one church had been approved for membership to the Burnt Swamp Association. By motion, the report was approved.

38. The Constitution Committee Report was given by Mr. Frank H. Epps. (See Directory) By motion, the report was approved.

39. The election was taken up and Reverend C. W. Maynor was elected Moderator. The Vice-Moderator was Reverend Roy W. Maynor. All Associational Officers were re-elected. (See Directory).

40. Reverend Sanford Locklear, Reverend Winfred Locklear, and Mr. James B. Locklear were appointed as a Nominating Committee to nominate a Brotherhood Director for the Burnt Swamp Association.

41. A vote of thanks was offered to Harper's Ferry Church and

Piney Grove Church for their hospitality in entertaining the Ninth Annual Session of the Burnt Swamp Association. The session closed with the group singing "Blest Be the Tie", and Mr. Vernon Sparrow offered the closing prayer.

Reverend C. W. Maynor  
Moderator

John L. Carter  
Clerk

### AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

The American Bible Society shares the concern for worldwide missions which Southern Baptists are expressing in plans for the Crusade of the Americas and World Missions Year in 1969. The entire program of Bible Society work is founded on these basic missionary principles:

**People must have the Bible** because

it presents Jesus Christ, the one hope of men and nations.

**Each person must have the Bible in his own language**

because it speaks to his heart as no other language can speak.

**The Bible is the essential tool of missions and evangelism.**

The missionary uses it in all his work. The Bible itself is a missionary.

It can go where the human missionary cannot go. It can stay on after he must leave—and keep on speaking to a person's heart.

**But, there is a world wide shortage of Bibles, because**

**in most countries, people cannot afford even the cost of printing the Scriptures.**

The American Bible Society is a worldwide missionary organization. It is an active partner in Southern Baptist work. It helps missionaries translate the Bible. It publishes the Scriptures without note or comment and distributes them without profit, usually below cost, and often without any charge in cases of special need. For the Blind, it supplies Scriptures in Braille and other raised-letter systems, Talking Bible records and tape recordings.

**God's Word for a New Age—the Book for New Readers**

A program of advance is being carried on by the American Bible Society in cooperation with 34 other national Bible Societies around the world. In 1968 this program will enter its second phase with the theme, "God's Word for a New Age—the Book for New Readers." Its aim is to provide greatly increased quantities of Scriptures urgently needed for mission work. Long-range goals are:

A Bible in every Christian home

A Testament in every Christian's hand

A Scripture Portion for every reader

Supplies of Scriptures for Christians to share

During 1966 the American Bible Society—

—rejoiced that some part of the Bible has been published in 1280 languages; the full Bible in 240, a Testament in 301 more, a Gospel or other complete book in 739 more—but still counted over 1000 more languages in which not one book of the Bible has yet been published.

—gave more than 500,000 Scripture volumes for distribution by Chaplains to our Armed Forces and Veterans' Hospitals, as a vital link between the home churches and men in service.

—produced, in several languages, Scriptures in everyday speech, printed in attractive forms. Outstanding among these is "Good News for Modern

Man", the Today's English Version New Testament, translated by the Society's translation department. Published September 15, 1966, at least 5 million copies are expected to be distributed by the close of 1967. —set new records by distributing 39,981,620 Scripture volumes in the U. S. A. and a total of 61,815,238 volumes, in over 400 languages, in some 150 countries around the world—and continued to increase translation, publication and distribution to meet urgent needs.

### **Southern Baptists Support the Work**

Because the Bible Society serves mission work—and Southern Baptist missionaries depend on the Society for Scriptures they need for their people—Southern Baptists believe in the missionary importance of giving to the American Bible Society.

In 1966 Southern Baptist churches gave \$233,896 to the American Bible Society and ranked first among all denominations. Gifts from all churches in the U. S. A. totaled \$1,472,307.

Although Southern Baptist churches lead in total gifts, the **per capita gift** is less than 2½ cents per year—and less than the per capita gift from several other major denominations.

**Southern Baptist churches can lead, even in per capita gifts—If every church will give.** Has your church given this year? Here are suggestions, based on what many churches are doing:

**Every church can give at least these amounts each year:**

Smaller churches	\$10 to \$60
Larger churches	\$60 to \$300
Great City churches	\$300 to \$600 or more

Please send gifts to your Baptist state office marked "for the American Bible Society."

## **REPORT OF ASSOCIATIONAL WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION**

The Twenty-Eighth Annual Meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Burnt Swamp Association convened with Piney Grove Church on April 8, 1967 at 10:00 A.M.

**WALK . . . . . AS HE WALKED** was the Theme for the day's Program. The meeting was begun with an opening worship period led by Rev. Roy Maynor and his father, Mr. Willie Maynor.

At this time, Miss Anna Mae Locklear, Associational WMU President extended words of greeting and also the WMS President, Mrs. Gertrude Hunt. Mrs. Fred Chavis; Mrs. Clyde Brewington gave interesting discussions on their work in the Association.

Following special music by Piney Grove Young People, Rev. Ernest W. Glass, Missionary to Malaysia brought an inspiring and informative message on his work in Malaysia.

### **Afternoon Session**

The afternoon session was opened with the special music by the Young People Choir of Piney Grove. Prayer was offered by Mrs. Callie Jean Hunt.

Committee on Time and Place reported that the next Annual Meeting would be held at Cape Fear Church, Fayetteville, N. C. Reports of various Committees were made, after which a Steward skit was presented by Mrs. Albert Hammonds.

WALK . . . . . AS HE WALKED IN PERSONAL TESTIMONIES was given by Y. W. A.'s from Cape Fear Church. WITNESSING: was given by G.A.'s of Piney Grove.

For the first time since 1941, our Summer Camping Program could not be carried on, due to lack of Lunch room facilities. Plans are underway for the construction of adequate facilities. This to be named THE BURNT SWAMP BAPTIST ASSEMBLY.

A Y. W. A. Week-end camp was held at the Baptist Assembly on September 29-30, 1967 with an enrollment of 33.

The following members of the Executive Board attended the W. M. U. Workshop in Wilson, N. C. on August 26-27, 1967: Miss Anna Mae Locklear, Mrs. Clyde Brewington, Mrs. Fred Chavis, and Mrs. Hattie Hunt.

Our W. M. U. Leadership Workshop was held at Berea Church in November with 13 churches attending and a total of 65 in attendance.

Respectfully submitted,  
Miss Anna Mae Locklear  
Associational W. M. U. President

## SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

### How Associational Leaders Can Help Your Church

No program has a greater variety of responses than the associational Sunday School program. Throughout the state and convention, many church workers take full advantage of all information available. Others seem to ignore the program and see very little need or use for the Associational Sunday School program.

Why organize the association to promote Sunday School work?

1. Because the majority of our Sunday School workers do not go outside the association to attend meetings for workers.

2. Because most churches do not conduct training schools and clinics unless they are encouraged to do so.

3. Because the associational organization provides a means through which information can be disseminated to all who are concerned.

4. Because the associational Sunday School organization will, if carried out fully, yield richer returns than any other type of effort we have conceived.

It is the associational organization that encourages churches to train workers; to have study courses, especially the January Bible Study Course; to promote evangelistic clinics, and other events that are provided for training, instruction, promotion, and inspiration.

Churches reap a great benefit by encouraging members to acquaint themselves with various materials and organizations available. These associational meetings, all of them, should be attended by pastor led church workers. They gather information together and go back to their individual churches to put into practice what they have studied, learned, or heard.

We sincerely hope we can be more helpful to the churches this year than we were this past year. We will try through our meetings and clinics to interpret the Sunday School work for the year 1967-68. The emphasis for the year is on Ministering. The Bible identifies ministering as meeting the needs of persons in Jesus' name. Let's try to lead our churches to improve their ministry this year. What are our plans for ministries?

Respectfully,  
Delton R. Locklear

## REPORT TO THE ASSOCIATION'S BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.—1967

Helping children and young people to grow and develop toward Christian maturity is one of the greatest privileges in life. No task is more important than helping a child to grow into healthy, well-adjusted, responsible citizenship. At the Children's Homes we seek to provide the proper atmosphere, encouragement and supervision to assure the development of inborn, God given talents of our children.

This agency offers a variety of quality services to the children of families who have not been able to continue a satisfactory pattern of living together. A total of 33 cottages on five campuses provide group care of different kinds. There are two residences for emotionally disturbed children, convenient to a great medical center where psychiatric services are available. This fall, for for the first time, a single cottage at Wallburg is being opened for the rehabilitation of boys.

In addition to group homes, the needs of many children are met through the use of Foster Homes. A growing interest in this phase of our work is encouraging. Many families are finding happiness and opportunity for service in caring for foster children. Thus, many boys and girls, who otherwise would not have this opportunity, are privileged to grow up in Christian homes. Should you have an "extra measure of love" to share in this way the Homes would like to know of your interest.

Regional case work centers, staffed by trained social workers, are located in six prominent areas of the State and add to the ability of the Homes to offer counseling services to distressed families and to those for whom family rehabilitation has been achieved.

In June of 1967 the first of the new family living cottages was completed and is being used by brothers and sisters who can profit by sharing the same home. This building was provided by Mr. and Mrs. William M. York of Greensboro, and is named the York Cottage. It is a model for the family living approach in group child care. A similar cottage is already under construction at Mills Home and two buildings of this type are now being built on the Kennedy Home campus.

The Child Development Center on the Mills Home campus was established to serve the local community as a means of strengthening family life and to provide a demonstration and informational program which can offer assistance to churches in beginning any phase of weekday care and education for pre-school children. During the 1967-68 session the Center will serve 70 children and their families in two kindergarten groups and nursery school groups, with about 35 children in full day care. The staff is providing consultation services upon request to churches interested in the program.

Members of the Board of Trustees and the Staff of the Children's Homes are committed to the task of maintaining a Christian Program of Child Care—a program that will merit the undivided support and loyalty of our people and that will bring favor to our Lord. To that end it is our purpose to meet, as effectively as possible, the challenges of our day.

## WHY A BROTHERHOOD IN EVERY CHURCH?

Brotherhood is the church organization which provides missionary education for all men, young men and boys.

There are three units of Brotherhood: Baptist Men, for all men aged 25 and older; Baptist Young Men, for all young men aged 18 through 24; and Royal Ambassadors, for boys aged 9 through 17. There are three units for Royal Ambassadors: Crusaders ages 9 through 11, Pioneers ages 12 through 14,

and Ambassadors ages 15 through 17. If a church has any of these units, it has a Brotherhood program and should report it on the church letter to the association.

A Baptist Men's unit is an educational organization that exists to help Christ's Church achieve mission tasks through men. The Brotherhood program can help the men of a church to take a more active role in missions.

Through this unit the men can take part in study and actions which will inform, interest, and challenge them to become mission-minded Baptists.

The pastor plays a very important part in launching this program in his church. As a shepherd, the pastor is to lead and care for his people. To a large extent the success or failure of this Brotherhood depends upon the pastor.

The Brotherhood Program will lead men, young men and boys to a deeper commitment to missions, to a more meaningful prayer life for missions, and to a larger stewardship on behalf of missions.

The Brotherhood Program is designed to help the church fulfill its missionary education responsibilities. To do this, the Brotherhood centers its study on the Biblical basis for world missions.

To understand the mission of the church, one must know the history of Christian missions—how Southern Baptist Mission boards function and how Southern Baptists finance mission work.

The Brotherhood Program will help men to become informed about the church's mission program. When the men become informed and become interested, then it will influence every area of the church life. The men will have compassion for the unsaved without regard to race, culture, or location.

The Brotherhood Program will lead the church to participate in mission activities. The concern and compassion for people will move individuals to mission action. A church will find that an active Brotherhood Program will reach people with special needs.

The Brotherhood Program will help provide organization and leadership for special projects of the church. The church revival is an example of a project. A Brotherhood is a real asset when it enlists men to work toward the success of a church revival. Organized men working with their pastor can stir spiritual fires in the church membership.

If men are to work for a successful revival, opportunities for service must be provided. Specific tasks assigned to the Brotherhood offer the greater challenge to men. Some of the tasks will include a religious census, publicity, pre-revival visitation, and neighborhood prayer meetings. These tasks will warm the hearts of men and get them ready for action during the revival.

During the revival, the Brotherhood will want to put aside anything that might conflict and attend all services.

The men can do much to establish a feeling of good fellowship by making everyone feel welcome in the service. Also, the Brotherhood can cooperate with music directors in enlisting men to sing in the choir. This is just one example of the many projects that a Brotherhood can do for the church.

I would like to encourage every church to have an active Brotherhood in your church, so that great accomplishments can be made in the church as well as the association for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,  
Josephus Locklear

## OBJECTIVES OF THE ASSOCIATIONAL BROTHERHOOD

The objectives of the associational Brotherhood are:

### 1. ENLIST CO-OPERATION OF THE CHURCHES.

The Associational Brotherhood will seek to enlist the co-operation of all

the churches and the men of these churches in a voluntary effort to unify, stabilize, and strengthen not only the work of the Brotherhood and Royal Ambassadors but the basic work of the churches and the denomination.

## 2. PROVIDE OPPORTUNITIES FOR FELLOWSHIP

The associational Brotherhood seeks to provide opportunities for fellowship among the pastors and laymen by bringing them together in meetings. Here they can know each other better and encourage and inspire one another by sharing their Christian experiences.

## 3. STIMULATE INTEREST IN THE WORK

The associational Brotherhood endeavors to create, stimulate, and sustain interest in Brotherhood until there is an active Brotherhood and a sufficient number of Royal Ambassador chapters in every church in the association.

## 4. ACQUAINT ME WITH BENEFITS

The associational Brotherhood seeks to acquaint the men with the work of Brotherhood and the benefits that can be realized for Christ through an enlisted manpower working in the churches.

## 5. DISCOVER AND UTILIZE MEN

The associational Brotherhood seeks to discover and utilize the abilities of the laymen of the churches so they may be properly prepared for usefulness in the association and the denomination.

## 6. STRENGTHEN CHURCH BROTHERHOOD WORK

The associational Brotherhood seeks to strengthen the Brotherhoods and Royal Ambassador chapters in the churches through adequate training, informative programs, visitation, and personal counseling with church and Brotherhood officers.

## 7. DEEPER SPIRITUAL LIFE

The associational Brotherhood seeks to deepen the spiritual life of the men and boys by causing them, through purposeful and informative programs and the promotion of practical church-centered activities, to have a greater vision of the work of the Master, pointing out that the successful promotion of his kingdom ultimately depends upon them and their personal efforts.

## 8. ENCOURAGE MEN TO SERVE

Through the total program of Brotherhood, the associational Brotherhood should seek to encourage men and boys to have a more active part in the work of their church and to lead all Christian laymen to find avenues of service within the churches.

## 9. PROMOTE AND DEVELOP ROYAL AMBASSADOR WORK

One of the major objectives of the associational Brotherhood is to promote Royal Ambassador work in the churches, giving every boy 9 through 17 the opportunity to be a Royal Ambassador; to provide opportunities for training of Royal Ambassador leaders in the churches, and to plan and provide for Royal Ambassador meetings in the association.

## 10. PROMOTE MAJOR CHURCH BROTHERHOOD ACTIVITIES

The Associational Brotherhood should promote through every possible medium the major church Brotherhood activities as recommended by the Brotherhood, churches, association, and denomination.

# TO THE ANNUAL BURNT SWAMP ASSOCIATION

The Mission Committee of this Burnt Swamp Association bring the following report. In the year, the committee visited Dundarrach Mission and at the request of the mission, the Reverend Hubert Chavis was accepted as pastor of the mission. This mission had a good year.

The Reverend Welton Lowry remained at Lumberton West End Mission.

The Mission Committee was informed early this summer that Brother Tony Brewington would serve as Superintendent of Mission for three months. Brother Tony worked untiringly and willingly at Vacation Bible School in different churches and at West End Mission. He was also a great asset to our bulletin.

At the union meeting at Mount Olive Church on July 29, 1967, the Mission Committee asked for teachers for the Lumberton Mission. The vote was unanimous to send four teachers to this mission. Harper's Ferry, Berea, Mount Olive, and Reedy Branch supplied these teachers.

At present, building material is on the site to begin the West End Mission. This committee wishes to thank you for your unanimous cooperation for the past year. By God's help, we will serve this Association for the advance of God's program and the advancement of the Association.

Sincerely yours,  
Mission Committee

### OUR HOME GOERS

ANTIOCH—Mr. Woodrow Locklear, Mrs. Mary Liza Chavis  
 BEAR SWAMP—Mrs. Susie Jacobs, Mr. McLauren Jacobs, Mrs. Maggie Swett Strickland  
 BERE—Mrs. Emma Clark, Mrs. Lockey Deese  
 BETHEL HILL—Reverend James E. Hammonds, Mr. Lattie Hammond  
 CAPE FEAR—Mrs. Mildred Gibbs, Mrs. Annie Chavis, Mrs. Florence Jacobs  
 DEEP BRANCH—Mrs. Cattie Sampson, Pfc Jimmie Locklear  
 DOGWOOD—Mrs. Rosie Chavis  
 ELIZABETH HEIGHTS—Mr. Hubbard Oxendine  
 HARPER'S FERRY—Mrs. Pearl Lowry, Mrs. Mollie Locklear, Mrs. Bertha S. Swett, Mr. Will Roller  
 LOWRY'S CHAPEL—Mrs. Annie Ruth Lowry  
 MOUNT AIRY—Mr. Cleveland Locklear, Mr. Galloway Locklear  
 MOUNT ELIM—Mr. Walter Rogers, Mrs. Flora Maynor  
 MOUNT OLIVE—Mrs. Rosella Locklear, Miss Elnora Revels  
 NEW BETHEL—Mr. Johnnie Carter  
 NEW HOPE—Mrs. Flora Locklear  
 NEW POINT—Mr. Ambrose Oxendine, Mr. Evander Jacobs  
 PEE DEE CHAPEL—Miss Annie Locklear, Mrs. Priscilla Chavis, Mr. James E. Chavis  
 PEMBROKE FIRST—Dr. Herbert G. Oxendine, Mrs. Mattie Carter, Mrs. Hannah Chavis, Mr. Calvin Chavis  
 PLEASANT VIEW—Mrs. Effie Oxendine, Miss May Locklear, Mr. Sam Clark  
 REEDY BRANCH—Mrs. Dora Lewis, Miss Lennie Huggins, Mrs. Lillie Williamson, Mr. Clayton Jacobs, Mr. Lawrence Carter  
 SMYRNA—Mr. Jack Jones, Mrs. Delphia Jones  
 UNION—Mr. Hobson Locklear

Respectfully submitted,  
 L. A. Maynor  
 Rufus Burns  
 Delton Morgan  
 Obituary Committee

**BURNT SWAMP ASSOCIATION  
FINANCIAL REPORT  
October 1, 1967**

**RECEIPTS**

Brought forward, October 1, 1966 .....	\$ 102.77
Received from churches—Burnt Swamp Association .....	5,624.49
Baptist State Convention .....	525.00
Camp Fund:	
Bear Swamp Church .....	100.00
Deep Branch Church .....	100.00
Mount Olive Church .....	500.00
Reedy Branch Church .....	500.00
Timber from campground .....	301.00
Reverend L. P. Hardy .....	30.00
Mount Airy Church .....	26.25
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>\$7,809.51</b>

**EXPENDITURES**

Reverend Dawley Maynor .....	\$1,241.42
Southern National Bank—West Side Note .....	770.00
Baptist State Convention—Dundarrach Note .....	700.00
Association programs .....	40.69
Clerk .....	250.00
Postage .....	67.93
Post Office—Bulletin permit & postage .....	135.00
Mr. Edmond Locklear, Jr.—Stamp .....	8.90
Pates Supply—Bond & supplies .....	17.26
Theo Davis Sons—Minutes .....	497.98
Robeson Office Supply—Printing .....	36.48
Miss Carolyn Oxendine—Secretarial Work .....	150.00
Reverend Tony E. Brewington—Associational Work .....	1,200.00
Reverend A. A. Lockee—Evangelistic expenses .....	50.00
Mr. Bill James Brewington—Youth program .....	30.00
Farm Bureau Insurance Co.—Camp insurance .....	106.00
Visual-Aid Center—Film .....	10.05
Baptist Book Store—Supplies .....	29.95
Gray & Creech—Supplies .....	51.76
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>\$5,375.42</b>
<b>BALANCE, October 1, 1967 .....</b>	<b>\$2,434.09</b>

John L. Carter  
Treasurer  
10-1-67

## TENTATIVE BUDGET FOR BURNT SWAMP BAPTIST ASSOCIATION—1967-1968

**Education and Promotion**

Vacation Bible School -----	\$ 200.00
Sunday School -----	100.00
Training Union -----	125.00
Women's Missionary Union -----	100.00
Music Department -----	50.00
Evangelism Department -----	100.00
Brotherhood Department -----	100.00

**Associational Office**

Postage -----	50.00
Bonding Fee -----	10.00
Office Supplies -----	200.00
Minutes -----	500.00
Telephone -----	125.00

**Salaries and Allowances**

Superintendent of Mission -----	6,000.00
Credit Card for gas (\$50.00 per month)	
Rent for Missionary's Home -----	1,200.00
Superintendent Trip to Southern Baptist Convention -----	200.00
Superintendent Trip to State Convention -----	50.00
Superintendent Retirement -----	200.00
Moderators Expense -----	300.00
Camp Building Insurance -----	160.00
Contingency and Emergency -----	500.00
Associational Clerk -----	300.00
Note (Dundarrach Mission) -----	700.00
Youth Camp (Royal Ambassadors and other Auxiliaries) ----	200.00
Building for Association -----	20,000.00
	<u>\$31,400.00</u>

(Note: Each Church would pay \$4.20 for each church member for the camp building, this would give the \$20,000.00). Each Church Treasurer should be on the Association Finance Committee.

## CONSTITUTION OF THE BURNT SWAMP MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

### Article I — Name

The body shall be known as the Burnt Swamp Missionary Baptist Association.

### Article II — Membership

Members of this body shall be messengers elected by the churches of the association, and all ordained ministers of the gospel who are members of the churches within the Association. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers for the first one hundred or portion thereof and an additional messenger for each additional fifty or major fraction thereof.

### Article III — Purpose or Object

The object of this Association shall be to furnish the Baptist Churches of the Burnt Swamp Baptist Association a medium of cooperation for the propagation of the Gospel of Jesus Christ and for the Advancement of the Redeemer's Kingdom by all methods in accordance with the Word of God, and also to emphasize the responsibilities of its membership in relation to Missions, Benevolences, Education, and to cooperate with our State and Southern Baptist Convention to increase the intelligence and spiritual power of the gospel to promote harmony and fellowship among the churches.

### Article IV — Officers

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational Training Union Director, President of the Brotherhood, Associational Superintendent of W. M. U. and Historian.

Section 2. The Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer and Historian shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations. The Nominating Committee's report shall not preclude nominations from the floor. The Associational Sunday School Superintendent, the Training Union Director, President of the Brotherhood, and the Superintendent of the W. M. U. shall be nominated by the respective organizations which they represent and shall be approved by the Executive Board at its June meeting. The Clerk and Treasurer may be combined at the discretion of the Association.

Section 3. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the body, and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall be Chairman of the Executive Board. He shall serve as ex-officio member of all committees. No one may serve as Moderator after two successive terms without a lapse of one year.

Section 4. The Vice-Moderator shall preside in the absence of or at the discretion of the Moderator.

Section 5. The Clerk shall keep an accurate record of the Proceedings of the body, mail blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches affiliated with the Association, prepare, publish, and distribute the minutes of the Association as soon as practicable after adjournment. He shall receive annually a compensation for his services as provided for in the By-Laws.

Section 6. The Treasurer shall receive and distribute all funds of the Association subject to its order or the approval of the Executive Council or the Executive Board or both. The Treasurer shall also make a written report to each quarterly session of the Executive Board showing all receipts and

expenditures and also a written report showing the complete financial operations at each annual session of the Association.

Section 7. All officers of the Association shall assume their duties at the close of the Association.

#### Article V — Prerogative

The Association may sever connection with any church that becomes heterodox in doctrine or disorderly in practice, or that fails to represent itself by letter or messengers for more than two consecutive annual meetings of the Association without good reason thereof, or that treats with contempt the objects and requirements of the Association.

The Association may also sever connection with any church at the request of said church. The Association may receive other Baptist Churches into its membership upon recommendation of the Committee on Petitions. A majority vote to receive shall be required. The Association shall have no power or right to interfere with the internal affairs of the churches, but will be ready at all times to render assistance to any church requesting help.

#### Article VI — Committees

Section 1. The Executive Board shall be composed of the officers of the Association, the Ordained Ministers and one lay member from each church in the Association; the lay member to be elected by the church and the name of each lay member to be reported to the Clerk of the Association. The member of the General Board to the Baptist State Convention, Moderator and Clerk of the Burnt Swamp Baptist Union, Moderator of the Preachers and Deacons Conference, and the Chairman of the Standing Committees shall also be members of the Executive Board.

Section 2. The Executive Board shall have the authority to fill, for the remainder of the Associational year, all vacancies in its membership occurring between sessions of the Association upon recommendation of the Committee on Committees, and it shall lead the Association in a constructive and aggressive Missionary program at all times.

Section 3. The duties of the Executive Board shall be as follows:

- (1) The Executive Board shall administer and be in general charge of the affairs of the Association between its sessions.
- (2) The Executive Board shall coordinate and correlate as far as possible all Associational activities, and to this end all departments of the Associational work shall give their cooperation.
- (3) The Executive Board shall have authority to appeal to the churches for contributions to carry on the work of the Association.
- (4) The Executive Board shall at its discretion set up an Executive Council. The Executive Board shall define its duties, establish its membership, and set the time and the place of the regular meeting.

Section 4. The Executive Board shall meet quarterly, make a written report to each session of the Association covering the work done under its discretion during the preceding year and containing any recommendations the committee may wish to make.

Section 5. The Association shall have the following standing committees, with their terms of office being from the close of the annual meeting through the following annual meeting. Members of all standing committees shall be elected for a term of three years, with one-third of the membership elected each year, except that the terms of the first group of Committees to be chosen shall be staggered, one-third of said committees to serve for a term of one year, one-third of said committees to serve for a term of two years, and one-

third of said committees to serve for a term of three years. Names of all committee members shall be printed in the minutes, together with their terms of office. This rotation does not apply to the Committee on Calendar, whose members serve ex-officio.

- A. To be appointed by the Moderator at the annual meeting, or immediately thereafter. Committee on Committees.
- B. To be nominated by the Committee on Committees and elected by the Association at the annual meeting.
  - (1) Resolutions Committee
  - (2) Finance Committee
  - (3) Missions Committee
  - (4) Nominating Committee
  - (5) Calendar Committee
  - (6) Constitution Committee
  - (7) Membership or Petitions Committee
  - (8) Camp Committee
  - (9) Program Committee
- C. The following Committees shall be appointed by the Moderator at least thirty days prior to the annual meeting to serve during the annual meeting.
  - (1) Time and Place Committee
  - (2) Enrollment Messengers Committee
  - (3) Obituary Committee

Section 6. Other temporary committees that may be created by the Association shall be appointed by the Moderator.

#### Article VII — Duties of the Churches

It shall be the duty of each church to report to the Association annually, by letter and through messengers. These letters should be in the hands of the Clerk ten (10) days before the meeting, giving the correct statistical information of its work and whatever relates to its general welfare, together with funds to meet the financial plan of the Association as recommended by the Budget Committee of the Association. Statistics of the churches shall be tabulated and printed.

#### Article VIII — Duties of Standing Committees

Section 1. The Resolutions Committee, composed of three (3) members, shall draw up and present to the Association, resolutions of appreciation and any other resolution it or the Association may deem wise.

Section 2. The Finance Committee, composed of nine (9) members and the Treasurer, shall study the Association's financial needs for an adequate program, present a budget to the Association for the following year, devise plans for securing the cooperation of the churches in raising funds to meet the budget, and make a written report to the annual meeting.

Section 3. The Missions Committee.

- (1) This committee shall be composed of six (6) members. It shall work with the Associational Missionary in promoting the work in the Association, lead and assist in organizing new churches and in beginning new mission stations.
- (2) If such advice is sought, it shall advise any group seeking to organize a new church. It shall also seek to help any member church desiring assistance with its problems.
- (3) It shall be the duty of this committee to cooperate with the Associational Missionary program, and to supervise the same.

- (4) When without a Missionary, this committee shall seek out and recommend to the Association, or its Executive Board a new Missionary for election.

Section 4. The Nominating Committee, composed of six members, shall contact before and nominate on the last day at the annual meeting of the Association, the officers of the Association, according to Article IV and XII of the Constitution. This committee's nominations shall not preclude other nominations from the floor.

Section 5. The Calendar Committee. This committee shall be composed of the Heads of the Departments, the Moderator of the Union, the Moderator of the Preachers and Deacons Meeting, with the Moderator of the Association, the Clerk and Associational Missionary serving as ex-officio members. This committee shall prepare an Associational Calendar for the coming year and present same to the Executive Board for adoption. After their approval it shall be presented to the Association at the annual meeting.

Section 6. The Constitution Committee shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to study and recommend changes in the Constitution when they deem it necessary and bring reports to the Executive Board and the Association.

Section 7. The Camp Committee shall be composed of six members, including pastors, laymen, and laywomen. It shall direct the development and use of the property with the advice and consent of the Executive Board or the Association.

Section 8. The Program Committee shall be composed of three members and the Moderator and the Clerk. It shall prepare a printed program for the annual meeting of the Association which shall be sent to all persons on the program and to all pastors at least thirty days before the annual meeting of the Association. It shall, in the opening of the annual meeting of the Association, present the printed program for adoption, and serve through the sessions when adjustments in the order of business becomes necessary.

Section 9. The Committee on Committees, composed of six members shall perform the duties as set forth in the Constitution (Article VI. Section 5.), and shall assist the Executive Board in filling vacancies on all other standing committees occurring between sessions. This committee shall also name the chairman of each committee.

Section 10. The Committee on Place and Time, composed of three members, shall receive or solicit invitations for the place or places of meetings for the next annual meeting of the Association, and shall recommend the place or places.

Section 11. The Committee on Enrollment, composed of six members shall prepare for and register all the messengers and visitors attending the Association.

Section 12. The Obituary Committee shall be composed of three members with one being appointed each year. It shall be the duty of this committee to bring a suitable report at the annual meeting and lead in a memorial service in the memory of those reported by the churches to have died since the last annual meeting.

Section 13. The Petitions Committee

- (1) This committee shall be composed of three members with one being appointed each year. Any church seeking admission to the membership of the Association shall petition in writing the Executive Board at least six (6) months before the annual meeting of the Association,

which petition shall be referred to the Petitions Committee for its study of the petitioning church's covenant, articles of faith, history, practices, cooperative spirit, its relations to other member churches of the Association, and its willingness to abide by the Constitution and By-laws of the Association. The Petitions Committee shall then report to the Association, at its next annual meeting, its findings and recommendations for Associational action.

- (2) Each church applying for membership in the Association, upon approval shall be received under watch-care of the Association for a period of one year.

#### **Article IX—Meetings**

There shall be one annual meeting of the Association and as many additional meetings as deemed necessary by the Association or the Executive Board. The annual session of the Association shall begin on Thursday before the third Sunday in October, at such place as may be chosen.

#### **Article X — Amendments**

This Constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the members present at any regular meeting provided notice has been given at a preceding meeting of the proposed change and the minutes bear a record thereof.

#### **Article XI — Advisory Board**

Section 1. An Advisory Board, composed of five ordained ministers and deacons, shall be appointed annually by the Moderator, whose duty shall be to assist the churches of the Burnt Swamp Association in adjusting their differences. They shall act as an arbitrator.

Section 2. They shall assist the pastors in ordaining preachers and deacons.

Section 3. A minister coming from another denomination must pass satisfactorily an examination along Baptist doctrinal lines before being recommended to his church for ordination.

#### **Article XII—Trustees and their Election**

Section 1. There shall be three trustees of the Association, serving terms of three years each. On nomination by the Committee on Nominations, one trustee shall be elected at each annual meeting. The expiration date of each trustee's term of office shall appear by his name in the Associational Minutes.

Section 2. Trustees shall serve for a term of three years, except that the terms of the first group of trustees to be chosen shall be staggered, one of said trustees to serve for a term of one year, one of said trustees to serve for a term of two years, and one of said trustees to serve for a term of three years.

Section 3. The duty of the trustees shall be: to hold in trust any property, money, endowment, or other securities of said Association, and they shall handle all legal matters of the Association under the direction of the Association or its Executive Board.

#### **Article XIII — Superintendent of Missions**

Section 1. His selection shall be upon recommendation of the Committee on Missions and on vote by the Association in its annual meeting, or between sessions of the Association, by its Executive Board. He shall be ex-officio of all committees and organizations of the Association in a serving and advisory capacity.

Section 2. The Associational Missionary shall promote the work of the Association and Denomination, cooperating with the churches, their pastors and officers, and the Associational Committees and Organizations.

### General Duties of Associational Missionary

1. His relationship to the organizations of the Association shall be that of Pastor Advisor.
2. He shall offer his services to the churches as needs arise, and work with them upon their invitation.
3. He shall lead in the Primary Missions work of the Association, in co-operation with the Missions Committee.
4. He shall promote the whole program of the Association, the Baptist State Convention, and the Southern Baptist Convention.
5. He shall serve as ex-officio member of the committees of the Association.
6. His work shall be under the direction of the Association.
7. He shall have two weeks annual vacation with pay, plus two weeks of revival time exclusive of his mission work, if desired, with honorarium kept for personal use. All other honoraria shall be given back into the Treasury of the Association.
8. He shall have administrative supervision of such work as assigned him by the Association.
9. The Missionary shall report to the Association through a bulletin mailed at least monthly.

### BY-LAWS

Section 1. Robert's Rules of Order shall be used as a standard for parliamentary procedure for the transaction of all business.

Section 2. A quorum for the transaction of business shall consist of messengers from a majority of the churches.

Section 3. Every person wishing to speak shall rise and address the Moderator, confining himself closely to the subject under discussion, bearing in mind always to observe a spirit of brotherhood and Christian love.

Section 4. Persons addressing the body shall not be interrupted within their allotted time unless out of order, or for the purpose of explanation.

Section 5. No person shall speak more than twice on any given subject without permission from the Association.

Section 6. If anyone shall think that the Moderator has unfairly stated a motion, the person making the motion shall reduce it to writing, and it shall be read by the Clerk before the vote is taken.

Section 7. That the Clerk be allowed \$250.00 per year for his service.

Section 8. These By-Laws may be changed by a two-thirds vote of the body at any session.

### ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Report of Clerk.
2. Election of Clerk.
3. Calling of Petitionary Letters.
4. Appointment of Committees.
5. Report of Treasurer.
6. Reports.
7. Reports of Special Committees.
8. Election of Moderator, Vice-Moderator and Treasurer.
9. Miscellaneous Business.
10. Incidentals and routine business shall be in order at any time.
11. Adjournment.

# HISTORICAL TABLE

Date	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1880	Burnt Swamp	Cary Wilkins	J. S. Wilkins	F. Prevatte
1881	Reedy Branch	Cary Wilkins	J. S. Wilkins	Cary Wilkins
1882	Magnolia	Cary Wilkins	J. S. Wilkins	J. W. Blanks
1883	Mt. Pleasant	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	Cary Wilkins
1884	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1885	Mt. Olive	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	Jordan Chavis
1886	Mt. Pleasant	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	J. W. Blanks
1887	Oak Grove	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	Jordan Chavis
1888	Reedy Branch	Gilbert Locklear	E. Sampson	Gilbert Locklear
1889	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1890	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1891	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1892	Magnolia	J. W. Blanks	Joseph Sampson	S. McLeod
1893	Burnt Swamp	J. W. Blanks	Joseph Sampson	A. D. Locklear
1894	Harper's Ferry	Cary Wilkins	A. S. Locklear	Wm. Sampson
1895	Piney Grove	Cary Wilkins	A. S. Locklear	A. D. Locklear
1896	Oak Grove	Cary Wilkins	Joseph Sampson	Gilbert Locklear
1897	Mt. Olive	Cary Wilkins	Joseph Sampson	Gilbert Locklear
1898	Deep Branch	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	None
1899	Burnt Swamp	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	A. D. Locklear
1900	Reedy Branch	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	Jordan Chavis
1901	Harper's Ferry	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	P. P. Locklear
1902	Piney Grove	Wm. Sampson	Joseph Sampson	J. J. Bell
1903	Deep Branch	J. W. Blanks	E. Sampson	Wm. Sampson
1904	Reedy Branch	Wm. Sampson	E. Sampson	A. D. Locklear
1905	Piney Grove	Gilbert Locklear	A. S. Locklear	E. F. Warlax
1906	Oak Grove	Gilbert Locklear	W. G. Hunt	J. E. Hunt
1907	Burnt Swamp	Gilbert Locklear	A. N. Locklear	J. J. Bell
1908	Mt. Olive	J. E. Hunt	A. N. Locklear	J. W. Blanks
1909	Bear Swamp	J. W. Blanks	A. N. Locklear	J. C. Clark
1910	Reedy Branch	J. J. Bell	A. N. Locklear	P. P. Locklear
1911	Harper's Ferry	J. J. Bell	A. N. Locklear	A. T. Taylor
1912	Deep Branch	J. J. Bell	A. N. Locklear	M. L. Brewington
1913	Mt. Olive	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	Z. B. Brooks
1914	Reedy Branch	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	W. G. Hunt
1915	Deep Branch	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	J. J. Bell
1916	Mt. Airy	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	S. S. Lowry
1917	Oak Grove	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	D. P. Locklear
1918	Mt. Olive	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	J. C. Clark
1919	Antioch	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	J. C. Clark
1920	Deep Branch	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	S. J. Chavis
1921	Piney Grove	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	H. E. Coleman
1922	Reedy Branch	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	J. J. Bell
1923	Harper's Ferry	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	S. A. Hammonds
1924	Mt. Airy	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	J. C. Clark
1925	Bear Swamp	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	J. E. Hunt
1926	Mt. Olive	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	S. A. Hammonds
1927	Bethel Hill	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	S. A. Hammonds
1928	Antioch	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	L. W. Jacobs
1929	Bear Swamp	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	J. W. Beagle
1930	Reedy Branch	S. A. Hammonds	A. N. Locklear	L. A. Maynor
1931	Mt. Airy	S. A. Hammonds	A. N. Locklear	None
1932	Mt. Moriah	S. A. Hammonds	A. N. Locklear	C. E. Locklear
1933	Piney Grove	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	S. A. Hammonds
1934	Ten Mile Center	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	L. W. Jacobs
1935	Harper's Ferry	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	G. J. Chavis
1936	Bear Swamp	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	C. H. Maynor
1937	Deep Branch	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	Dawley Maynor
1938	Mt. Olive	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	L. W. Jacobs
1939	Harper's Ferry	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	C. E. Locklear
1940	Mt. Airy	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	S. A. Hammonds
1941	Berea	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	Roy Maynor
1942	Bear Swamp			
	Bethel Hill	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	G. J. Chavis
1943	Mt. Airy			
	Reedy Branch	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	T. M. Swett
1944	Pembroke First			
	Gray Pond	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Percell Locklear
1945	Piney Grove			
	Berea	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Ernest Gregg
1946	Oak Grove			
	Mt. Moriah	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Dawley Maynor
1947	Pleasant View			
	Bear Swamp	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Harvie Brewington
1948	Mt. Olive			
	Deep Branch	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	W. Earl Robinson
1949	Harper's Ferry			
	Cedar Grove	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	L. W. Jacobs

# HISTORICAL TABLE

Date	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1950	Mt. Elim			
1951	Mt. Airy ----- Pembroke First	C. E. Locklear -----	J. L. Carter -----	J. E. Hammonds
	Reedy Branch	C. E. Locklear -----	J. L. Carter -----	W. W. Black
1952	Pembroke Camp			
	Piney Grove -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	M. A. Huggins
1953	Harper's Ferry			
	Bear Swamp -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	Arch McMillan
1954	Reedy Branch			
	Union -----	Roy Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	P. M. Dorr
1955	Mt. Airy			
	New Bethel -----	Roy Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	A. P. Stephens
1956	Harper's Ferry			
	Piney Grove -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	D. J. Long
1957	Mt. Elim			
	New Hope -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	C. E. Locklear
1958	Pembroke First			
	Reedy Branch -----	C. E. Locklear -----	J. L. Carter -----	Clyde B. Simpson
1959	Mt. Moriah			
	Bear Swamp -----	C. E. Locklear -----	J. L. Carter -----	W. R. Wagoner
1960	Island Grove			
	Deep Branch -----	Roy Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	D. M. Branch
1961	Smyrna			
	Pleasant View -----	Roy W. Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	
1962	Mt. Airy			
	Berea -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	W. R. Griggs
1963	Harper's Ferry			
	New Hope -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	L. P. Hardy
1964	Berea			
	New Point -----	English Jones -----	J. L. Carter -----	C. W. Maynor
1965	Mount Olive			
	Bear Swamp -----	English Jones -----	J. I. Carter -----	Ben F. Broadway
1966	Reedy Branch			
	Mt. Airy -----	C. W. Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	English Jones
1967	Harper's Ferry			
	Piney Grove -----	C. W. Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	C. M. Cummings

TABLE A—CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

Churches	C. W. Maynor, Associational Moderator Route 1, Pembroke, N. C. 28372	Pastors and Addresses	Year Organized	Location			Local Mis. Started Past Year	Local Mis. Operated by Ch.	Total Baptisms	Other Additions	Mem. Lost by Letter, Death, Revision Church Roll, etc.	Resident Members	Nonresident Members	Grand Total Present Mem.	Members Received from Non-Baptist Churches	Members Lost to Non-Baptist Churches	Pastor's Annual Salary
				1-2-3-4	5-6-7-8-9-0	Services 1-2-3-4											
Antioch	-----	Sanford Locklear, R1, Pembroke 28372	1901	1	1	1	1	1	5	1	1	403	39	39	1	1	300
Bear Swamp	-----	T. M. Swett, R1, Rowland 28383	1882	1	1	1	1	1	13	12	3	248	24	403	2	2	800
Berea	-----	Grady Hunt, R5, Box 113, Lumberton 28358	1926	3	4	4	1	1	13	12	3	248	24	272	2	2	5200
Bethel Hill	-----	Lawrence A. Maynor, R1, Pembroke 28372	1917	1	1	1	1	1	43	1	5	35	78	78	1	1	433
Bentlah	-----	A. A. Locke, Pembroke 28372	1939	1	1	1	1	1	88	1	5	88	8	96	1	1	600
Burnt Swamp	-----	Grady Cummings, R1, Pembroke 28372	1880	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	12	15	27	1	1	400
Cape Fear	-----	David Brewington, R1, St. Pauls	1922	7	1	1	1	1	1	4	2	72	20	43	1	1	400
Cedar Grove	-----	Rutts Burns, R4, Lumberton 28358	1930	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	54	4	58	1	1	400
Cherokee Chapel	-----	T. M. Swett, R1, Rowland 28383	1941	3	1	1	1	1	18	1	3	160	20	180	1	1	400
Deep Branch	-----	L. A. Maynor, R1, Pembroke 28372	1880	1	1	1	1	1	16	1	1	39	39	39	1	1	800
Dogwood	-----	N. R. Morgan, R5, Box 133 A, Lumberton 28358	1951	4	1	1	1	1	7	1	1	5	31	36	1	1	300
Elizabeth Heights	-----	Isiah Locklear, Wakulla	1951	1	1	1	1	1	16	1	1	59	59	30	1	1	300
Galilee	-----	Wade Locklear, Red Springs	1951	1	1	1	1	1	13	1	1	74	74	74	1	1	1030
Gray Pond	-----	John D. Chavis, R3, Laurinburg	1911	1	1	1	1	1	16	1	1	38	33	71	1	1	300
Harper's Ferry	-----	L. W. Jacobs, Pembroke 28372	1888	1	1	1	1	1	13	1	1	392	68	460	1	1	3600
Island Grove	-----	Cooldige Cummings, R1, Rowland 28383	1954	1	1	1	1	1	18	2	5	76	6	84	1	1	1100
Leith Creek	-----	Thurman Chavis, Laurinburg	1949	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	52	20	72	1	1	200
Lowry's Chapel	-----	Joseph Lowry, R1, Raeford	1959	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	100	100	100	1	1	100
Mount Airy	-----	L. W. Jacobs, Pembroke 28372	1915	1	1	1	1	1	2	7	4	306	67	373	1	1	2000
Mount Bethel	-----	C. H. Richardson, Box 456, Nashville 27856	1958	1	1	1	1	1	25	7	4	300	100	400	1	1	600
Mount Elm	-----	King Maynor, R4, Lumberton 28358	1924	1	1	1	1	1	5	9	1	71	17	88	2	2	600
Mount Moriah	-----	A. A. Locke, Pembroke 28372	1892	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	55	51	130	1	1	600
Mount Olive	-----	Charlie S. Warriax, R1, Box 254, Rowland 28383	1886	1	1	1	1	1	11	1	2	79	51	130	1	1	600
New Bethel	-----	Harvey E. Brewington, R2, Clinton	1910	1	1	1	1	1	11	1	1	81	25	185	1	1	800
New Hope	-----	C. E. Locklear, Pembroke 28372	1845	1	1	1	1	1	11	1	1	160	25	185	1	1	2400
New Point	-----	Sanford Locklear, R1, Pembroke 28372	1845	1	1	1	1	1	11	1	1	181	25	185	1	1	276
Oak Grove	-----	R. W. Maynor, Pembroke 28372	1886	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	41	10	51	1	1	459
Pee Dee Chapel	-----	Grady L. Hunter, R5, Box 113, Lumberton 28358	1891	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	80	12	13	1	1	475
Pembroke First	-----	Tony L. Brewington, R1, Pembroke 28372	1895	3	4	4	1	1	18	1	1	290	75	290	1	1	882
Piney Grove	-----	Roy W. Maynor, Pembroke 28372	1897	1	1	1	1	1	18	1	1	259	75	259	1	1	500
Pleasant View	-----	Vester Oxendine, R1, Rowland 28383	1901	1	1	1	1	1	9	2	3	147	11	158	1	1	500
Reedy Branch	-----	C. W. Maynor, R1, Pembroke 28372	1882	1	1	1	1	1	9	2	3	80	80	80	1	1	360
Smyrna	-----	Rufus Burns, R4, Lumberton 28358	1888	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	65	2	67	1	1	259
Tabernacle	-----	Nash Locklear, R3, Maxton 28364	1954	1	1	1	1	1	8	1	1	34	4	38	1	1	900
Ten Mile Center	-----	Douglas Mitchell, R3, Lumberton 28358	1924	1	1	1	1	1	8	1	1	136	4	136	1	1	900
Thompson	-----	Wade Locklear, Red Springs	1965	1	1	1	1	1	6	1	1	35	46	81	1	1	600
Union	-----	Vester Oxendine, R1, Rowland 28383	1927	1	1	1	1	1	6	1	1	35	46	81	1	1	1044
Zion Hill	-----	Herbert H. Chavis, Shannon	1919	2	2	2	2	2	6	1	1	35	46	81	1	1	1044
Dundarach Mission	-----	-----	1961	1	1	1	1	1	6	1	1	35	46	81	1	1	1044

Churches	Delton Ray Locklear Associational Superintendent Route 1, Pembroke, N. C. 28372	Sunday School Superintendents and Addresses	Grade Roll Enrol. (Home Ministry)	Nursery (under 3) Enrol.	Beginners (4-5) Enrolment	Primaries (6-8) Enrolment	Juniors (9-12) Enrolment	Intermediates (13-16) Enrolment	Young People, Single (17-24) Enrolment	Young People, Married (17-24) Enrolment	Young People Aways (17-24) Enrolment	Adults (25-34) Enrolment	Adults (35-64) Enrolment	Adults (65 up) Enrolment	Extension Dept. Enrolment	General Officers	Mission Enrolment	Total Enrolment	Average Weekly Attendance	New S.S. Classes Organized	Church V.B.S. Enrolment	Mission V.B.S. Enrolment	Total V.B.S. Enrolment
Antioch		Mitchell A. Carter, 2904 Olive Dr., Lumberton																					
Bear Swamp		A. C. Lowry, Pembroke 28372	33	22	16	11	18	14	16	14	1	5	10	2	11	16	16	118	72		61		61
Berea		Benny R. Sampson, P. O. Box 215, Pembroke 28372	31	32	28	29	62	56	25	35		23	34	11	16	3	60	470	200		154		260
Bethel Hill		Lee Edwin Hammonds, R3, Lumberton 28358	31	17	29	62	38	28	20	20		9	20	3	8	10	143	210	163	1	154		154
Beulah		Junior Archie Deese, R1, Rowland 28383		3	15	18	23	15	3	3	5	9	17				143	109	163		154		154
Burnt Swamp		Charles Maxnor, R3, Box 345, Lumberton 28301		3	16	13	23	15	4	6	3	9	17				196	55	55		35		35
Cape Fear		Grover Gibbs, 115 Lock Trail, Fayetteville 28301		7	23	11	20	12	13	17	1	17	12	3		3	123	75	75	2	80		80
Cedar Grove		Ray Chavis, R3, Box 469, Pembroke 28372	11	7	6	10	20	18	16	26	2	10	40	3		16	162	107	107		209		209
Cherokee Chapel		T. W. Stewart, R1, Box 451, Chadbourne 28341					15	13	11	15	5	5	6	2		13	122	85	85		80		80
Deep Branch		Luther E. Dimery, R1, Box 61, Pembroke 28372		10	14	16	42	36	35	35		22	50			4	239	160	160		52		52
Dogwood		James Hunt, R1, Box 78D, Rowland 28383		15	17	20	35	13	13	13		25	16	4		10	125	55	55		106		106
Elizabeth Heights		Edward Locklear, 2402 Collins St., Lumberton		3	17	8	32	20	5	4		13	16	4		6	97	62	62		72		72
Galilee		Claude Locklear, R1, Shannon 28386		17			21	10	12	4		13	34		8	12	138	20	20		100		100
Gospel Tabernacle		Carl Hunt, Jr., R1, Rowland 28383					10	8	19	19		15	15				140				30		30
Gray Pond		John L. Chavis, R1, Lumberton		16	12		10	8	19	19		15	15				140				109		109
Harper's Ferry		Delton R. Locklear, R1, Rowland 28383		14	31	36	54	50	35	35		23	88	18		4	382	259	259		125		125
Island Grove		William C. Chavis, R1, Pembroke 28372		29	39	40	46	25	35	35		15	29				278						
Leith Creek		A. D. Driggers, R1, Maxton		10	12	6	8	8	4	4		15	10				55						
Lowry's Chapel		Roscoe Lowry, Raeford 28376	20																				
Mount Airy		J. L. Carter, R1, Pembroke 28372		29	22	37	59	25	9	5	26	28	33			2	134	364	250		106		106
Mount Bethel		Herbert J. Richardson, R2, Macon		13	17	32	32	33	10	12	15	20	14				191	191	191		30		30
Mount Elim		L. B. Jacobs, R3, Red Springs		24	23	18	39	11	21	21		8	12				167	150	150		75		75
Mount Moriah		Woodrow Locklear, R1, Lumberton 28358		12	12	15	20	22	27	27		25	25			15	148	95	95		114		114
Mount Olive		L. J. Bell, R4, Lumberton 28358		6	16	15	18	16	10	8	4	10	20	10		20	143	83	83	1	94		94
New Bethel		Troy E. Bell, R3, Clinton 28378		17	13	18	29	27	14	2	3	7	79		2	7	218	170	170		170		170
New Hope		Ossie Jacobs, R1, Box 30, Bolton 28423		27	24	24	42	25	20	16		30	29	2		3	257	170	170		115		115
New Point		Wilbert Sampson, R4, Lumberton 28358		20	14	35	21	25	5	30		30	29	2		13	186	111	111		145		145
Oak Grove		Smiley Chavis, R3, Laurinburg		3	10	6	17	17	2	2		12		1		7	75	51	51		42		42
Pee Dee Chapel		James C. Clark, R1, Box 215B, Clio, S. C.					10	15	20	8		30	30				132	74	74		79		79
Pembroke First		Elmer W. Hunt, Pembroke 28372		6	17	26	20	18	21	21		31	31			3	172	125	125		40		40
Piney Grove		Ellis Jones, R2, Rowland 28383		14	15	32	36	16	17	10		30	35	11		2	13	342	164		121		121
Pleasant View		Telford Hunt, R2, Box 383, Fairmont 28340		25	25	46	80	51	18	24		30	30	18		5	474	260	260		144		144
Reedy Branch		Grady Chavis, R4, Lumberton 28358	25	22	56	60	51	38	25	10		25	39	30	25	5	40	235	169		93		189
Smyrna		Willard Hagan, R5, Lumberton 28358		10	26	25	26	22	11	6	52	23	27			6	235	169	169		93		93
Tabernacle		James L. Chavis, R4, Lumberton 28358		12	12	10	15	19	20	7		29	29			4	109	78	78		80		80
Ten Mile Center		Frank H. Epps, R1, Lumberton 28358		2	12	12	20	14	7	4		5	7			4	130	70	70		80		80
Thompson		Horace Dial, R3, Box 26, Lumberton 28358		15	20	18	21	18	30	5		22	30			7	80	55	55		60		60
Union		H. S. Fields, R1, Box 87, Lumberton 28358	11	15	24	20	38	20	18	30		18	30			3	1	206	170		160		160
Zion Hill		James W. Locklear, Rex, N. C. 28378		14	22	30	38	20	5	5		3	4	10		10	174	142	142		126		126
Dundarrach Mission		Johnnie Thompson, Raeford		5	12	15	24	14	10			3	4	1		10	104	70	70				
West Side Mission																							
Totals			100	246	581	707	1052	974	766	378	85	547	1012	200	59	221	323	7120	4140		53083	294	3377



## Churches

Mary Jane Bryant  
Associational Music Director  
Route 1, Pembroke, N. C. 28372

## Music Director and Addresses

Churches	Beginners (4-5) Enrolment	Primaries (6-8) Enrolment	Juniors (9-12) Enrolment	Inter. (13-16) Enrolment	Young People, Single-Married Enrolment	Adults Enrolment	Ensembles, Chorus, Etc. Enrolment	General Officers	Mission Enrolment	Total Enrolment	Average Weekly Attendance	No. Choirs, Ensembles Organized Past Year
Antioch	---	---	---	---	16	19	---	9	15	59	25	---
Bear Swamp	---	---	---	---	20	15	---	---	---	60	13	---
Berea	---	---	25	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Bethel Hill	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Bethel	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Burnt Swamp	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Cape Fear	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Cedar Grove	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Cherokee Chapel	---	4	6	4	6	4	---	2	---	26	---	---
Deep Branch	---	---	---	---	---	12	---	---	---	---	---	---
Dogwood	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Elizabeth Heights	---	---	---	---	---	---	118	---	---	---	---	---
Galilee	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Gospel Tabernacle	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Gray Pond	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Harper's Ferry	---	---	---	---	12	18	---	3	---	33	---	---
Island Grove	---	---	---	---	---	20	---	---	20	20	---	---
Leith Creek	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Lowry's Chapel	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mount Airy	---	19	20	---	15	16	---	---	100	65	---	---
Mount Bethel	---	---	---	---	---	12	---	---	32	1	---	---
Mount Elin	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mount Moriah	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mount Olive	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
New Bethel	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
New Hope	---	5	4	5	---	7	2	---	23	10	---	---
New Point	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Oak Grove	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Pee Dee Chapel	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Pembroke First	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Piney Grove	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Pleasant View	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Ready Branch	---	---	---	---	---	---	20	2	---	20	20	---
Snydera	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	25	25	1
Tabernacle	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Ten Mile Center	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Thompson	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Union	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Zion Hill	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Dundarrach Mission	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
West Side Mission	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Totals	---	9	54	44	55	108	178	16	38	434	229	3

TABLE E—BROTHERHOOD WORK

Churches	James B. Locklear Associational Brotherhood President Route 4, Lumberton, N. C. 28358	Presidents or Directors of Men's Brotherhoods and Addresses	Total Enrolment												
			Crusaders (9-11) Chapters	Crusaders (9-11) Enrolment	Pioneers (12-14) Chapters	Pioneers (12-14) Enrolment	Ambassadors (15-17) Chap.	Ambassadors (15-17) Enrol.	Total RA Chapters	Total RA Enrolment	Baptist Young Men Enrol.	Baptist Men Enrolment	Total Men Enrolled	Mis. Enrol. (RAS and Men)	
Berea		M. W. Locklear, P. O. Box 361, Pembroke 28372	4	45	2	20	1	12	7	77			10		87
Beulah			1	5	1	8			2	13			15		13
Cape Fear		B. F. Maynor, N. Plymouth St., Fayetteville 28301											15		15
Deep Branch		Clyde Brewington, R4, Box 137, Lumberton 28358			1	12			1	12			15		27
Harper's Ferry		L. C. Oxendine, R1, Rowland 28383	1	6	1	10	1	10	3	26			10		36
Lowry's Chapel		Roscoe Lowry, Raeford													
Mount Airy		Herbert Locklear, R1, Box 251, Pembroke 28372	1	6	1	12	1	8	3	26			20		58
Reedy Branch		Fred Chavis, R1, Rowland 28383	1	4	1	8	1	4	3	16			12		28
Ten Mile Center															
Totals			8	66	7	70	4	34	19	177	24	60	94		271



TABLE G—BUILDING—AND OTHER INFORMATION

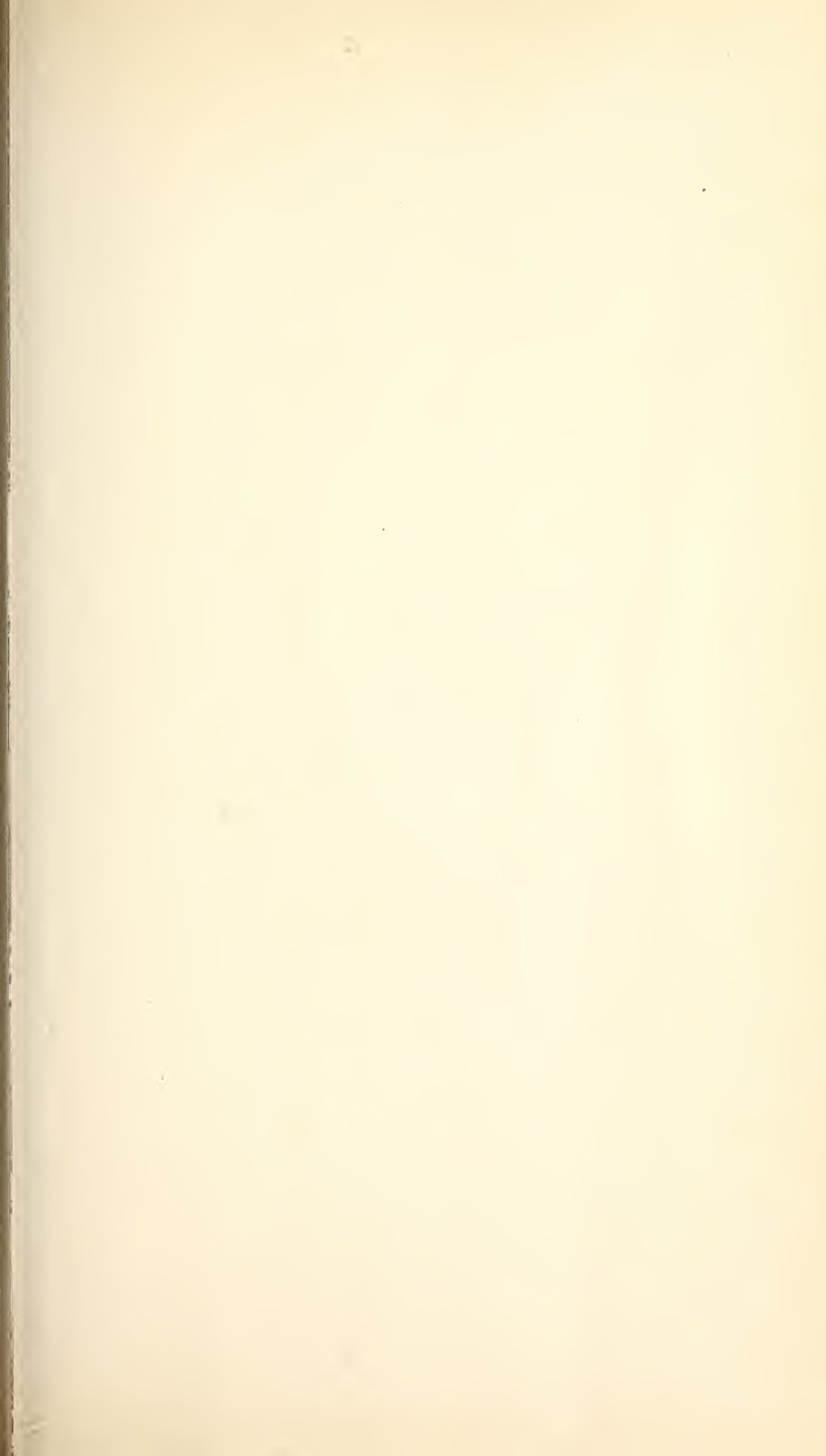
Churches	Chairmen of Deacons and Addresses	Value of Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property (including Pastor's Home)	Total Church Debt at End of Assoc. Year	Paid on Church Debt This Assoc. Year	Does Church Have:				Does Church Have:								
						Kindergarten	Rec. Com.	VBS	St. Paper in Bud.	Ch. Council/Cab.	Church Library	Christian Life Committee	Student Night Christmas—1966	Stewardship Committee	Mission VBS			
Antioch	Clinton Thomas, R1, Lumberton 28358		10000															
Bear Swamp	W. B. Strickland, Pembroke 28372																12	2
Berea	Sanford Sampson, P. O., Pembroke 28372	14000	58000										*				5	5
Bethel Hill	S. V. Emanuel, R1, Shannon		10000															
Beulah	McKinley Strickland, R1, Rowland 28383		15000		1452													
Burnt Swamp	Mr. William O. Maynor, P. O. Box 397, Pembroke		15000		300												25	13
Cape Fear	James Groves, 216 Eleanor Ave., Fayetteville 28301		4000		886													
Cedar Grove																		
Cherokee Chapel																		
Deep Branch	Bouman Freeman, R1, Pembroke 28372																20	3
Dogwood	Edward Locklear, 2402 Collins St., Lumberton		5000														7	
Elizabeth Heights	Claudie Locklear, Shannon		5000															
Galilee																		
Gospel Tabernacle																		
Gray Pond			6500															
Harper's Ferry	Dr. English E. Jones, Pembroke 28372		47000		2500		*	*	*	*							10	6
Island Grove	Willard Strickland, R1, Pembroke 28372		25000	1500	500												5	
Leth Creek																		
Lowry's Chapel	Roscoe Lowry, Raeford 28376																	
Mount Airy	Herbert Locklear, R1, Box 251, Pembroke 28372																	
Mount Bethel	Percy Richardson, P. O. Box 4, Hollister 27844		6500	2500	3500								*	*				
Mount Elm	Bruce Oxendine, R1, Pembroke 28372		22000		900								*					
Mount Moriah	G. H. Locklear, R1, Lumberton 28358		10000				*										10	10
Mount Olive	Stinson Revels, R3, Lumberton 28358		21000											*			10	10
New Bethel	James D. Brewington, R3, Clinton 28328		10000															
New Hope																		
New Point	Earl Hunt, Lumberton 28358		18000		640													
Oak Grove	Smiley Chavis, R3, Laurnburg 28352																	
Pee Dee Chapel	Tom Jacobs, R2, Laurinburg 28352		8000															
Pembroke First	Grady Holmes, Pembroke 28372		50000														5	
Piney Grove	W. O. Hammonds, Pembroke 28372																	
Pleasant View	Carson Freeman, R2, Fairmont 28340		15000	3000	2364													
Reedy Branch	Clarence Hammond, R5, Lumberton 28358		68000		2000				*	*			*					
Smyrna																		
Tabernacle																		
Ten Mile Center	F. H. Epps, R1, Lumberton 28358		20000	216	443					*								
Thompson	Rudolph Dial, R3, Box 129, Lumberton 28358																	
Union	H. S. Fields, R5, Box 182C, Lumberton 28358																	
Zion Hill	Leander Oxendine, R2, Box, Red Springs		9000														6	6

Churches	J. L. Carter, Associational Treasurer Route 1, Box 266, Pembroke, N. C. 28372	Treasurers and Addresses		Number of Tithers	or Emphasis Used			Total Receipts From Gift	Pastor's Salary	Other Church Staff Salaries	Local Mission Expenditure		Other Local Expenditure	Total Local Expenditure	
					None	Forward Program	Growth in Christian Stewardship				Other	Local Church			Mission
Antioch	Clinton Thomas, R1, Lumberton 28358			21				1606	500	600	1136		852	1352	
Bear Swamp	Newman Oxendine, R1, Pembroke 28372			33				7697	800	1159	1060		1360	4956	
Berea	William X. Oxendine, P. O. Box 316, Pembroke							17160	5200	1159			4800	10915	
Bethel Hill	James H. Hammonds, R3, Lumberton 28358							1939	433	150	122		1392	2064	
Beulah	Berlene Clark, R1, Rowland 28383							3000	600	104	1452		475	2631	
Burnt Swamp	Hubert Locklear, R1, Box 489, Lumberton 28358			7				4973	640			852	1007	1487	
Cape Fear	B. F. Maynor, 430 N. Plymouth St., Fayetteville								360		66		917	1492	
Cedar Grove	J. W. Strickland, P. O. Box 312, Fairmont 28340							1476	400	154			400	826	
Cherokee Chapel	T. L. Stewart, R1, Box 451, Chadbourne 28341							4670	800		373		354	1270	
Deep Branch	Bowman Freeman, R1, Pembroke 28372			6				950	200		600		1498	2898	
Dogwood	Mrs. Pearl Hunt, R2, Rowland 28383							1500	350	267	55		250	1170	
Elizabeth Heights	Alfred Tyler, R5, Lumberton 28358								300	15		75	115	732	
Galilee Tabernacle	Ed M. Locklear, R1, Box 71, Pembroke 28372								1030				241	621	
Gray Pond	Mrs. Aremma Clark, R3, Laurinburg							2300	300	120	275		2414	3444	
Harper's Ferry	John E. Cummings, R1, Rowland 28383			10				9402	3600	600		96	2039	791	
Island Grove	E. L. Jones, R 3, Maxton 28364							7137	1100	240	690		562	2352	
Leith Creek									200				25	225	
Lowry's Chapel	Sarah Mae Brewer, R 1, Raeford							15971	2000	1079	150	917	180	1347	
Mount Airy	John L. Carter, R1, Box 266, Pembroke 28372			20					600	180			3984	12425	
Mount Bethel	Fletcher Lynch, R1, Box 118, Hollister 27844			6					480	120			250	1030	
Mount Elm	Ivory Henderson, R1, Red Springs			2					600	108			2943	3593	
Mount Moriah	Raeford Lowery, R1, Lumberton 28358								600	150	40		440	1148	
Mount Olive	Tessie L. Hunt, 312 E. 15th St., Lumberton 28358							3565	500	150			1160	1850	
New Bethel	Ronnie Simmons, R3, Clinton 28358							5465	800	692	250		3223	4965	
New Hope	Mrs. Rena J. Jacobs, R1, Bolton 28423							8167	2400	245			2458	5103	
New Point	Ketris Morgan, R2, Lumberton 28358							9773	276			1850	1862	3759	
Oak Grove	Kayola Clark, R3, Box 281, Laurinburg 28352			1				1655	459			1281	375	2115	
Pee Dee Chapel	Mrs. Maggie Clark, R1, Box 215B, Clito, S. C. 29525			5				50	475		42	25	201	744	
Pembroke First	Billy Maynor, R1, Pembroke 28372							4630	2400	349			479	3228	
Piney Grove	Kelmer Hunt, R3, Fairmont 28340								882				662	1544	
Pleasant View	Telford Hunt, R2, Box 383, Fairmont 28340			6				3800	500	120	2350		1000	3970	
Reedy Branch	Mrs. Oscar Chavis, R4, Lumberton 28358							8560	1500	340	834		850	6875	
Smyrna	John F. Revels, 1212 Jacobs St., Lumberton 28358			19					500	180	143		1171	5105	
Tabernacle	Grover C. Oxendine, P. O. Box 65, Pembroke 28372			2				3492	360	120	1887		1024	3391	
Ten Mile Center	Mrs. H. C. Revels, R3, Lumberton 28358			6				11435			18159		974	19134	
Thompson	Madie S. Dial, R3, Box 129, Lumberton 28358							844	279					979	
Union	H. S. Fields, R4, Box 162C, Lumberton 28358							4800	900	150	544		290	3886	
Zion Hill	Fred McMillian, R3, Box 87, Lumberton 28358			2				3309	600	600	1157		514	2271	
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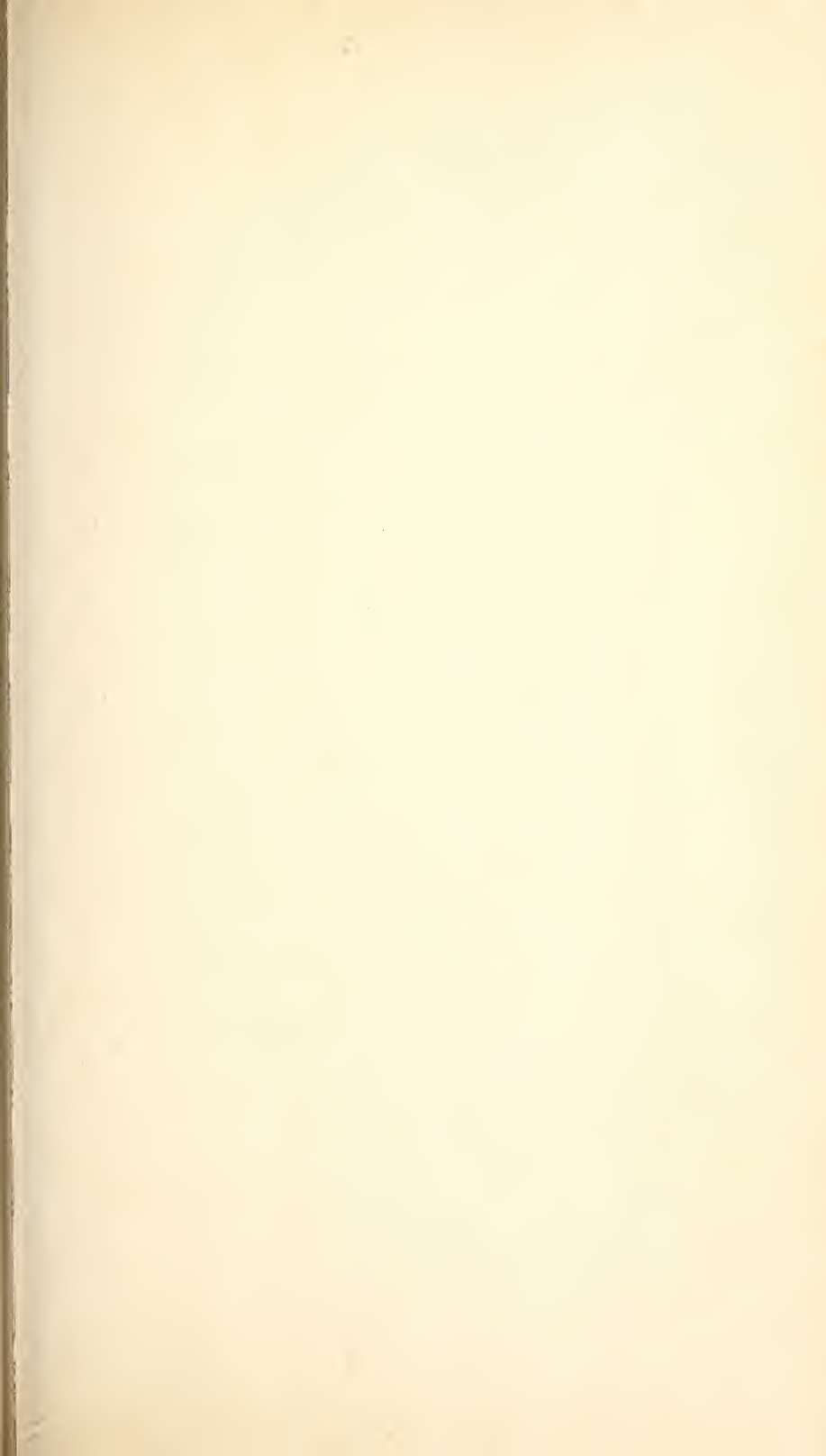


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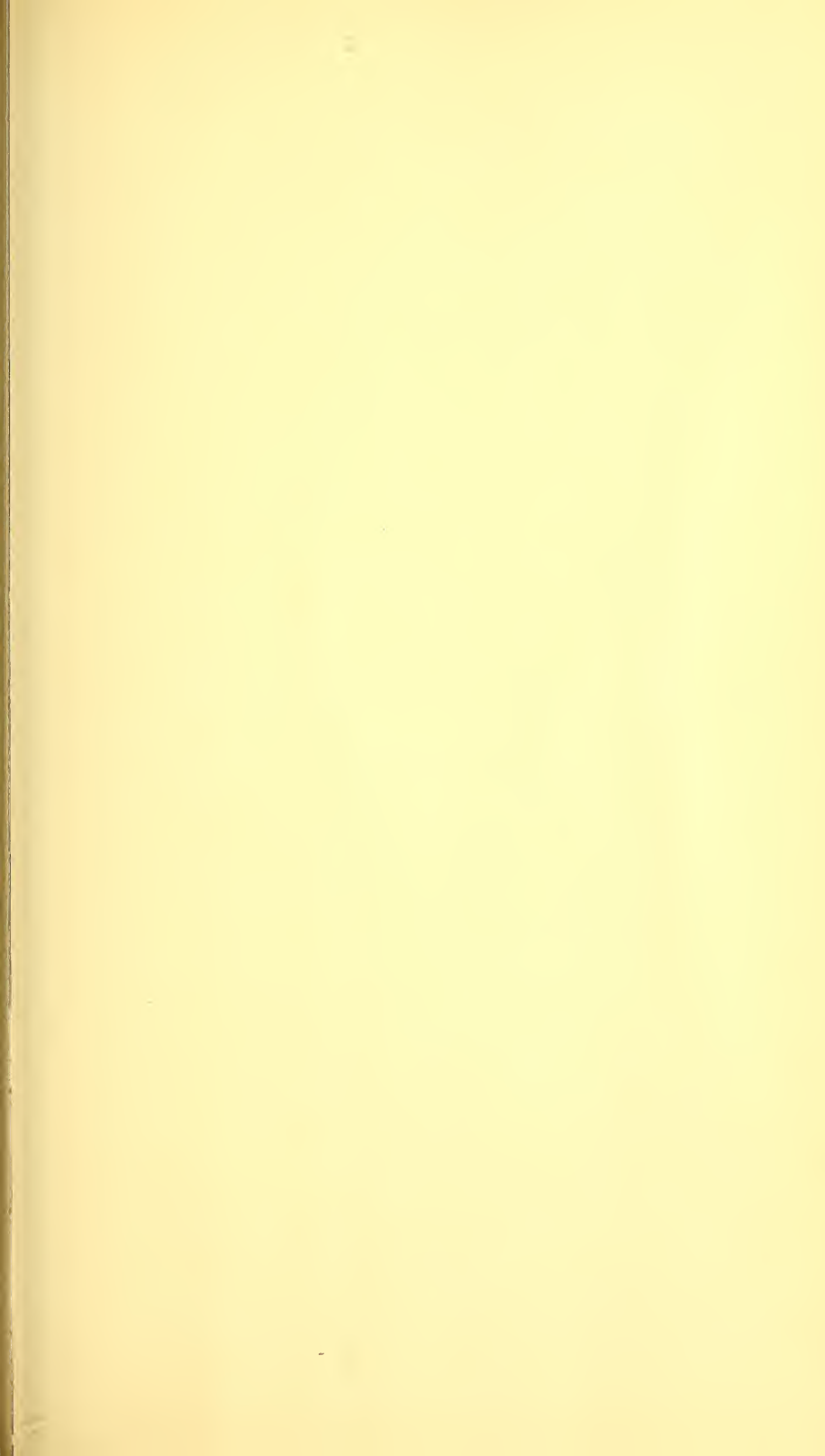














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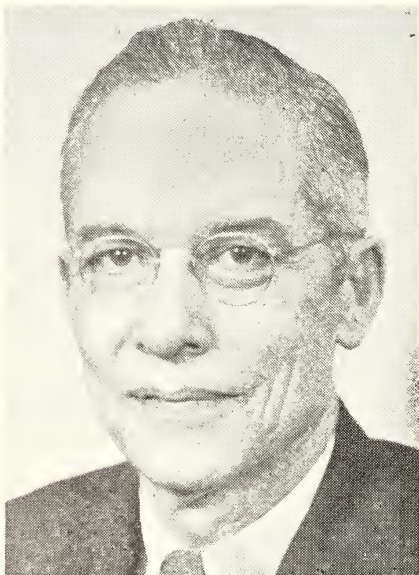
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REVEREND LONNIE WILLIAM JACOBS  
1893-1968

Reverend L. W. Jacobs was born on June 12, 1893, near Fairmont, North Carolina and died on January 28, 1968.

He was converted and joined Reedy Branch Church on August 10, 1911. After being elected as Sunday School Superintendent in 1912, he served faithfully until 1917. Also, Reverend Jacobs was ordained as a deacon of Reedy Branch Church on May 3, 1913 and was licensed to preach by Reedy Branch on September 6, 1916.

In October, 1917, Reverend Jacobs was called to pastor Mount Airy Church. He was ordained to preach on December 3, 1917. In May, 1918, he was given a leave of absence to serve a tour in the Armed Forces. He served 13 months in the Army, part of this time was in Europe.

Reverend L. W. Jacobs attended Joe Branch Elementary School (now Green Grove). He completed high school in 1925 at Pembroke, and completed the 2 year Normal School at Pembroke in 1928. Also, he attended 2 summers at Wake Forest University in the Minister's School.

As an educator, Reverend Jacobs' experience was vast and varied. He taught school for a total of 18 years. At Joe Branch Elementary School, he taught for 7 years, 2 years as a principal. During this time, the school changed its site and its name to Green Grove Elementary School. Also, Reverend Jacobs served as principal of Piney Grove School for 2 years, principal of Prospect School for 8 years, and Post-Master of Pembroke from 1936 to 1940.

In 1925, Reverend Jacobs was appointed to the Board of Trustees of Pembroke State College by the late Governor A. W. McLean of Lumberton, North Carolina. Since then, he has served continuously except for 4 years. Altogether, he has served a total of 39 years on the Board of Trustees.

Reverend Jacobs served for several years as a member of the Local Draft Board of Robeson County.

In 1917, Reverend L. W. Jacobs started his pastoral work at Mount Airy Church. This was his first pastorate and he has been the pastor continuously, except for the 13 months that he was on leave with the Armed Forces.

Reverend Jacobs has served the following churches for the number of years as indicated:

Bear Swamp	1919-1940	21 years
Berea	1925-1951	26 years
Harper's Ferry	1922-29 1936-68	29 years
Mount Airy	1917-1968	51 years
Mount Olive	1924-1942	18 years
Ten Mile Center	1931-1933	3 years
Oak Grove	1940-1947	8 years

Also, Reverend L. W. Jacobs was Moderator of the Burnt Swamp Association from 1944 to 1949, 1952 to 1953, 1957 to 1958, 1962 to 1963; serving a total of 12 years. He was Clerk of the Association for 4 years.

His favorite hobby was fishing. He also enjoyed watching the sports on television, especially baseball and boxing.

Reverend L. W. Jacobs would not retire. His slogan was "I will work until Jesus comes!"

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The first name on each Committee will serve as chairman.

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**PROCEEDINGS  
of the  
BURNT SWAMP ASSOCIATION**

**Held With  
DEEP BRANCH CHURCH**

October 17, 1968

Thursday Morning Session

1. The Ninety-First Annual Session of the Burnt Swamp Association convened at Deep Branch Church, Pembroke, North Carolina, at 10:00 A.M., Thursday, October 17, 1968. The song service was conducted by Mr. C. E. Oxendine of Harper's Ferry Church, with Mrs. James F. Lowry of Berea Church at the piano. The group sang "All Hail the Power."

2. The devotion was conducted by Mr. Claude A. Sampson. He read Psalm I and gave comments. Reverend N. R. Morgan offered prayer.

3. The moderator gave a cordial welcome to all present and asked all visitors to stand for recognition. He declared the body ready for the transaction of business.

4. The clerk distributed mimeographed copies of the compiled report of the high-lights from the church letters as reported by the church clerks. The Financial Report was read by the clerk. The report showed a balance of \$6,609.34. By motion, the reports were approved.

5. The Nominating Committee recommended John L. Carter for the Associational Clerk for 1968-69. By motion, the recommendation was approved.

6. The Petition Committee reported the applications of Saint James Church and South Hoke Church for membership in the Burnt Swamp Association. By motion, the applications were approved unanimously.

7. Mr. Guy S. Cain brought a report on the Annuity Program. He encouraged the churches and pastors to participate in this Pastor Protective Plan.

8. The Baptist Children's Home Report was brought by Reverend Chesley Hammond, Superintendent of the Odum Home of Pembroke, North Carolina, and Mr. Allen Jaratti, Social Worker for the North Carolina Baptist Homes. The report was very informative. He discussed the services for the unfortunate children of the state through the efforts of Children's Home Program.

9. Miss I. Ruth Martin, Professor of Religion at Pembroke State College, discussed the Church-State Relations. She explained very ably the relationship of the Church and State in the past. She also informed us of

the demand of the present for the State to get involved with the support of the church programs. She emphasized the guide lines we should follow.

10. The annual message was brought by Reverend Hoyle Langford, missionary of the Piedmont Association. The message was very timely. He stated the people need an awakening to a sense of their duty at a time like we are experiencing.

11. The group sang "What A Fellowship". Reverend Tommy Swett offered prayer. The group adjourned for lunch.

#### Thursday Afternoon Session

12. The song service was led by Mr. C. E. Oxendine, accompanied by Mrs. James F. Lowry at the piano. The group sang "Loyalty to Christ".

13. Mr. C. W. Bazemore gave a report on the Biblical Recorder. He discussed the importance of reading. He gave a brief history of the Recorder.

14. The Baptist Hospital Report was brought by Mr. Qunnie Hunt, Associational Representative and Dr. W. K. McGee, State Representative of the North Carolina Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem. Dr. McGee discussed the changes in the services of the hospital.

15. The Baptist Homes for the Aging were discussed by Brother James H. Brewington and Reverend James O. Mattox, pastor of Red Springs Baptist Church. He gave an informative report on the program for the aging.

16. Brother Ambrose Chavis, Associational Training Union Director, discussed the Training Union work and the changes that are in progress.

17. A vote of thanks was offered Deep Branch Church for entertaining the first day of the Annual Session. The Afternoon Session closed with the group singing "God Be With You". Prayer was offered by Reverend Roy W. Maynor.

Charles W. Maynor  
Moderator

John L. Carter  
Clerk

Friday Morning Session  
PLEASANT VIEW CHURCH

October 18, 1968

18. The devotion was conducted by Reverend Vester Oxendine. The group sang "Holy, Holy" which was led by Brother C. E. Oxendine and Mrs. James F. Lowry at the piano. Reverend Oxendine read Romans 8:1-6 and commented. Reverend L. A. Maynor offered prayer.

19. The moderator gave words of welcome and recognized the visitors. He then declared the body ready for the transaction of business.

20. The reading clerk read the minutes of the Thursday's session. By motion the report was approved.

21. The moderator asked the Saint James and South Hoke Churches to present themselves for recognition. The delegates, Brothers Leander Locklear, Charlie Oxendine, Roy Locklear, and Reverend Isiah Locklear of the South Hoke Church were given the right hand of fellowship making them welcome to the Burnt Swamp Association. The delegates, Brothers Melton Young, Ed Young, John H. Campbell were given the right hand of fellowship making them welcome to the Burnt Swamp Association.

22. The clerk read the Sunday School Report prepared by Brother Delton Ray Locklear. The Sunday School Report was given in the absence of the Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Delton Ray Locklear. By motion the report was approved.

23. Reverend James O. Mattox of the Robeson Association, First Baptist Church, Red Springs, discussed the Greater Robeson Crusade in 1969. He gave a very timely message for these trying days. He outlined briefly the procedure of the crusade activities for 1969.

24. The Brotherhood Work was discussed by Brother James B. Locklear and Mr. J. Edwin Bullock. Brother James B. Locklear discussed the activities of the Brotherhood Work in the Burnt Swamp Association. Mr. Bullock discussed the Brotherhood Work over the State Convention, and the Southern Baptist Convention. His message was very informative and inspiring.

25. The Cooperative Program, prepared by Dr. English E. Jones, President of Pembroke State College, was read by the clerk. By motion the report was approved.

26. The message was brought by Reverend J. A. Thompson in the absence of Dr. E. B. Turner, of the Lumber River Baptist Association. He read Romans 1:14-16 which was the three "I Am's" of the Apostle Paul—I am a debtor; I am ready; I am proud. His message was very spiritual and very inspiring, also informative. The group sang "When the Saints Goes Marching In". Reverend Chesley Hammonds offered prayer and we adjourned for lunch.

## Friday Afternoon Session

27. The afternoon session was opened with the group singing "Wherever He Leads, I'll Go" led by Brother C. E. Oxendine and accompanied by Mrs. James F. Lowry at the piano.

28. Miss Martin suggested that we have an afternoon and evening meeting beginning about 3 or 4:00 P. M. and ending about 9:30 P. M. The clerk reported a total of \$1,445.00 collected during the 1968 annual session.

29. The moderator called for the afternoon program. The Advisory Report was given by Reverend Chesley Hammonds. By motion, the report was approved. The General Board Report was given by Brother Purnell Swett. He informed us of the financial obligations of the State Convention and the part the General Board plays in these activities. By motion, the report was approved. Reverend C. S. Warriax gave a report on the Mission Work in the Burnt Swamp Association. By motion, the report was approved.

30. The Camp Committee Report was given by Reverend C. E. Locklear. He reported that the Camp Building had been sold for \$615.00.

31. The time and place for the 1969 session was approved. The first day, October 16, 1969 will be at Mt. Moriah Church and the second day will be at Reedy Branch Church on October 17, 1969.

32. The Obituary Report was given by Reverend L. A. Maynor. He gave comments and a memorial prayer was offered by Reverend A. A. Lockee. By motion, the report was approved.

33. The Finance Chairman, Mr. John E. Cummings presented the 1969 Budget. After much discussion, the report was approved.

34. A motion was carried that the West Side note held by Southern National Bank be paid in full.

35. The Constitution Report was given by Brother F. H. Epps.

36. The Committee on Committees Report was given by Brother F. H. Epps. By motion, the reports were approved.

37. That the Executive Committee be given the authority to build the proper building needed to operate the program of the Burnt Swamp Association was suggested by the association and approved by motion.

38. The Resolution Committee Report was given by Brother James E. Chavis and approved by motion.

39. The Registration Committee Report was given by Mrs. Albert Hammonds. By motion the report was approved.

40. The Nominating Committee Report was given Brother Purnell Swett. The report was as follows:

Moderator — Reverend A. A. Lockee  
Vice Moderator — Dr. English E. Jones  
Treasurer — James H. Hammond  
Historian — James Brewington  
Trustees — Purnell Swett  
Charles W. Maynor  
J. L. Carter

By motion, the above officers were approved. A vote of thanks was offered to Pleasant View Church. The Ninety-First Session closed with the group singing "Blest Be the Tie". Reverend Coolidge M. Cummings offered the closing prayer.

Reverend C. W. Maynor  
Moderator  
John L. Carter  
Clerk

### W.M.U. REPORT

As I accepted the nomination for President of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Association twenty-one years ago, I was actually trembling and my knees were weak and wobbly, yet underneath physical symptoms, there was a calm wonderful peace—for I knew the decision was a result of earnest prayer for God's Will in my life. As the years have come and gone, many scriptures of verse fill my mind. Philippians 4:13 kept coming to my mind—"I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me".

As we begin our new year, 1968-69, there are many new changes that has been made in our W. M. U. work which I feel will strengthen our Mission efforts.

In the Woman's Missionary Union, 1967-68 was a year of great endeavors. On February 17, 1968, our annual W. M. U. Banquet was held at the Pembroke Elementary School with 384 attending. Mr. and Mrs. William A. Mitchiner were the guest speakers. They are the "Travelers for Christ".

On March 30, 1968, the Woman's Missionary Union of the Burnt Swamp Association held their twenty-ninth annual meeting at Cape Fear Church, Fayetteville, North Carolina. The theme of the meeting was Laborers Together With God. Our guest speaker was Reverend William Roberson, Missionary to Vietnam. The meeting was well attended.

There were fifteen of our Y. W. A.'s along with our Associational Y. W. A. Director who attended the Y. W. A. Convention at Greensboro on February 17, 1968.

Our State Workshop was well attended. When we left, I felt that we were all better acquainted with our work.

We are now in the midst of planning and praying for the Crusade of the Americas. Our prayer is that great blessings will be the results.

We the Executive Committee of the Burnt Swamp Women's Missionary Union, wish to thank each of you for your prayers and words of encouragement.

To Mrs. James C. Oxendine, who served as W. M. U. Treasurer for 17 years, we wish to express our deepest thanks. Due to illness, she asked to be relieved of this responsibility. She has been faithful in every respect and we are truly grateful.

The new organization plan for 1968-69 calls for fewer officers in all groups or age levels. It is our desire that every church have some type of mission activity being carried on throughout the year. I plan to visit every church during the year. All of us praying and working together, God can do great things through our efforts.

Respectfully submitted,  
Anna Mae Locklear,  
W. M. U. Director

## ASSOCIATIONAL REPORT ON CHURCH-STATE RELATIONS

In common with many other Christians, Baptists have ever held the basic doctrines of Salvation by Grace, the inspiration of the Scriptures, the deity of Christ, and many other fundamental tenets. But the unique contribution that Baptists have made to the religious life of the world is, we believe, the doctrine of soul-liberty.

Roger Williams preached soul-liberty in a colony which had been founded by Christians who sought freedom, but forgot to pass it on. Williams was driven out, and later founded the first government in modern history where separation of Church and State was written into the law.

It was a Baptist preacher, John Leland, who had been imprisoned in Virginia for no other crime than that of preaching the Gospel, who persuaded James Madison to write the First Amendment into the Constitution of the United States: "Congress shall make no law respecting the establishment of a religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof."

Baptists have taken pride in the story of Dr. John Clifford of England who year after year refused to pay the tax which went to support the Church of England. Each year the constables would come to his house, take an article of furniture to the side walk and sell it at auction to pay this tax. Each year one of his deacons would buy the article and take it back into his home. This went on until the officers were disgusted with the farce and ceased to charge John Clifford the church tax.

Baptists should be informed of and take pride in the fact that Dr. Rufus Weaver, former president of Mercer University, gave the inspiration for the constitution of the "Baptist Joint Committee on Public Affairs", composed of representatives from the National Baptist Convention, the National Baptist Convention, Incorporated, the American Baptist Convention, and the Southern Baptist Convention, as well as other Baptist bodies. Dr. J. M. Dawson, for thirty-one and one-half years pastor of the First Baptist Church of Waco, Texas, became the first secretary of this Baptist Joint Committee on Public Affairs.

Dr. Weaver had made a study of church-state relations, and was greatly concerned by the flow of money from the public treasury into sectarian institutions. He urged that Protestants and other Christians, and those of no formal religious profession, should set up an organization which would unite all of those who were concerned with maintaining the separation of Church and State. Dr. Weaver died before any definite action was taken. In fact, it was something that Dr. Dawson said at Dr. Weaver's funeral in February of 1947, which renewed interest and resulted in the constitution that fall of an organization known as Protestants and Other Americans United for Separation of Church and State. Ever since that time, this organization, under the able leadership of Dr. Glenn L. Archer, a Methodist lay preacher and former dean of a Law School in Kansas, has sought to hold the line of separation of Church and State. Americans United, to use the shorter name, had its first office in a corner of the office of the Baptist Joint Committee on Public Affairs.

So Baptists may take pride in the fact that this organization, which draws together a much wider group than could the Baptist Committee on Public Affairs, had its origin in the convictions of Southern Baptists.

Until a few years ago no question had ever been seriously raised about Baptists accepting Federal gifts. But with costs of operation sky-rocketing and with the very lives of some of our Southern Baptist institutions seeming to depend upon more funds than are being supplied by the denomination, there are those who would ask that our Baptist institutions be free to accept gifts from the government. It is purely a matter of the need of money which has brought about this change of attitude. It is therefore rather vital that our Baptist people inform themselves of this perilous situation, that they think clearly in regard to our Baptist heritage and basic principles, and of their responsibility to be stewards of the institutions which we believe the Lord led us to establish.

Consider some examples: Parochial schools were once said to have a peculiarly pervasive religious and supernatural purpose; today the insistence is (as was made clear in the June Supreme Court decision on New York state's parochial schools) that such schools are in no way suffused with any religious ideas; that physics, say, is just plain mundane physics, with no special relevance to divine doctrine or immortal salvation.

Or take private colleges that once were "church-related" and therefore refused public funds; today they deny that the administration of church law and the mumbling of creeds and prayers are in any way a supernatural ministry. Such colleges have washed themselves clear of all superstition about "souls" and the "hereafter" have defused their ideas and practices to acclimate them fully to this worldly notions; and so can now claim the financial support of the secular power.

Reading "the minutes of the previous meetings" all the way back to the establishment of the Southern Baptist Convention in 1845, we find many references to church-state relationships. In June of 1968 in Houston, Texas, the convention passed the following as a part of a resolution on Church and State: "Be it further resolved, that we reaffirm our faith in this principle that tax funds come from all citizens and should not be used to further the advantages of any religious or sectarian causes."

The minutes of the Southern Baptist Convention from year to year since 1913 contain many references to church-state relations, all with the same refrain: "keep Church and State separate".

In 1919, President J. B. Gambrell's address dealt largely with church and state relations. The convention appointed a committee to bring recommendations concerning this message, and adopted their resolution which strongly emphasized our position of separation. (pp. 17-23, 110-113)

In 1938 the Convention urged "upon all our Baptist people and institutions the vital importance and necessity for their being alert and sensitive in such matters and refusing all government aid, however indirectly offered and of resisting the bestowal of such aid upon any interest or institution of any and all other denominations." (pp. 113-114, 119-20)

In 1939, Dr. Rufus W. Weaver read to the convention his "Pronouncement upon Religious Liberty." The Convention appointed a committee headed by Dr. W. O. Carver to report on this pronouncement. This reaffirmation of our Baptist position was adopted by the convention. (pp. 114-446)

In 1940 the Convention, by rising vote, adopted a resolution presented by Dr. Louie D. Newton, protesting the appointment of an Ambassador to the Vatican (p. 245).

The 1945 Annual (no convention meeting in 1945) contains a report that our Joint Committee on Public Affairs had persuaded the Secretary of State, the Honorable E. R. Stettinius, to send to all the delegates to the United Nations, meeting in San Francisco, a declaration of Baptist beliefs concerning religious

freedom. Mr. Stettinius expressed approval of the statement and agreed to have it translated into several languages. (pp. 55-57)

In 1947 the convention adopted a memorial presented by the Richmond-Dover Association of Virginia, protesting passage of laws in 19 states providing assistance for other than public schools. (pp. 41-43)

That Convention also approved a constitutional amendment, introduced by Joseph R. Bryan, member of Congress from South Carolina, providing that neither Congress nor any of the several states should aid any educational institution wholly or in part under sectarian control. (p. 50)

In 1948 the Convention adopted a resolution offered by Dr. E. B. Willingham of D. C. approving "Protestants and other Americans United for separation of Church and State", which was established in 1947. (p. 50)

In 1953 the Convention reaffirmed "its unwavering devotion to the separation of Church and State in its strong opposition to the use of tax funds and tax supported schools in favor of any or all religious organizations". (p. 57)

The 1961, 1963, 1965 and 1966 Conventions adopted comparable resolutions. We quote one sentence from a resolution of Dr. Charles Ryland of Virginia, adopted in 1966:

"We urge all who plan or operate religious activities to refrain from seeking public funds for the advancement of sectarian causes". (p. 92)

Baptists have consistently seen that government financing of religion both establishes religion and undermines religious freedom.

In view of the consistent, continuing and persistent position of Southern Baptists through the years, we would urge the members of all our churches to be very alert to any encroachment on the laws of our land which guarantee religious liberty and separation of Church and State.

We urge our churches to include in their budgets a yearly item for Americans United \*, to call on this organization to investigate questionable church-state practices in local areas; to seek its cooperation with local residents in opposing—even to the courts where necessary—violations of the First Amendment to our Constitution; and to distribute its ably edited monthly journal, *Church & State* which gives accurate and timely information on this subject. \*\*

\*Contributions may be channelled through Baptist State Headquarters or sent directly to Americans United, 1633 Massachusetts Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20036. A southern regional office has recently been established with Dr. Dick H. Hall, Jr., director, Room 108, 215 Church Street Building, Decatur, Georgia 30030. Phone (404) 378-6465. Contributions may be sent through this office and Dr. Hall will be glad to arrange speaking engagements when asked to do so.

\*\*Those who join Americans United, paying a membership contribution of \$5.00 or more will receive one year's subscription to *Church & State*.

J. Ruth Martin

## SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

The Sunday School Department Of The Burnt Swamp Association held four (4) quarterly meetings. The Themes for these meetings centered around Bible Study, ministering, teaching, and training.

The groups were small but all who attended seemed to receive something to help them to become better Christians.

We also held a one-night Bible Clinic at Mt. Airy for those people who would be working in the January Bible Study Course Books were furnished by the Association to those attending. Fourteen churches sent representatives to the Clinic. Miss Ruth Martin taught the adults; Mr. Dalton Brooks the Intermediates; and Miss Anna M. Locklear the Juniors.

We notice that many of our churches are not growing in membership, some are even losing members. This may be due, in part, to the poor job our Sunday Schools are doing. Teaching is important; and *Teach We Must*. Let us not grow weary in well doing. Let us not forget that the church is the body of Christ and He is the head. We have been assured by the Lord of the Universe that the ultimate victory is ours.

Let us therefore, as teachers, as pastors, as leaders; teach the Word to our own members. Let The Word do its work in our hearts and bring new understanding of the will of Christ to us today. Where there is lack of knowledge, error flourishes and faith falters. Let us teach the word to our own so that we can teach others by the lives we live.

We have been hearing and reading during the last few months about the "*Crusade of The Americas*." The Most significant part a Sunday School can have in the Crusade is to carry out its responsibility to—teach the gospel. The Holy Spirit will work, Christians will witness, and the lost will be saved. As a result we will be helping our church fulfil its mission through evangelism and missions.

Delton Ray Locklear

### 1968 ASSOCIATIONAL REPORT

The past year in your Baptist Homes for the Aging has been one of the most eventful in the history of the Homes. Of primary significance was the opening of the Yanceyville Home on November 1, 1967, and dedicatory services on April 25, 1968, with Governor Dan K. Moore as the principal speaker.

When the Yanceyville Home, accommodating 31 residents, is filled to capacity, the number living in all of our Homes will reach 200. Residents at Yanceyville, Resthaven, the Albemarle Home, the Hayes Home, the Hamilton Home, and the Infirmary constitute a large and ever-growing family of elderly people who receive compassionate and tender care.

The waiting list for admission to one of our five Homes continues to grow, but has been revised and is a bit more realistic than ever before. The opening of the Yanceyville Home has relieved the pressure greatly on this waiting list, and persons are encouraged to make application from the various sections of our great State.

Baptists of North Carolina can be grateful for their record in ministering to the residents in their five Homes for the Aging. Recent reports reveal that our Baptist Homes for the Aging are giving more financial assistance to their needy aging than any other denominational Home in North Carolina. About 85% of the residents ministered unto receive assistance through the love gifts of North Carolina Baptists. These love gifts from our Baptist churches come from two main sources: (1) The Special Day Offering, received on the 3rd Sunday of February each year, from which the Homes derive 22½% of their total support; (2) The Cooperative Program from which we receive 12½% of total income. Gifts for 1967 through these two sources were at an all time high and amounted to around \$200,000.00. The 1968 Special Day Offering, at this time, is reflecting an encouraging increase. Unless these two vital sources of income are increased considerably, your Baptist Homes cannot be maintained, either on the basis of quality of care, or quantity.

More than in any previous years the ministry of the Homes has been extended beyond the day to day care of the residents to our local churches and communities. Experiences have been shared in more than one Association, in World Missions Conferences, Family Life Conferences, High School classes in Family Living, etc.

Life among the residents in the Homes is most interesting, and if one wonders about activity among those whose average age is 80, let him come and see. Let everyone who is contributing to this great area of human need be grateful to the Lord to be a part of a great denomination that has had the vision to plan for the aging, and is moving forward in meeting the needs of this very deserving group.

Submitted by,  
James H. Brewington

## THE NEED OF A BROTHERHOOD PROGRAM IN YOUR CHURCH

We, the Brotherhood Department of the Burnt Swamp Association, want to thank the churches of the Association that became active in this Brotherhood work in the year 1967-68.

We further challenge you to continue your work for the year 1968-69 and that you will strive to improve upon the past.

The Brotherhood Department of the Southern Baptist Convention urges the men of all churches to be behind the Crusade of the Americas whether you have an active Brotherhood in your church or not.

I urge you to get your church behind the Annuity Program for your pastor's protection.

The text Matthew 28: 19-20 says go. So let's unite in the total effort of a Christ-Centered Church. Win the lost at any cost.

The Brotherhood Officers challenge you to invite us to your church to start a Brotherhood work either in part of the program, or the full program in which it will include all male members 17 years old and on up.

Remember, a good Brotherhood will improve your church attendance and the men will become more aware of their Christian duty.

As your Director for the year 1968-69, I challenge all churches without a Brotherhood Program to evaluate their church with the churches that have a program.

Your Brother in Christ,  
James B. Locklear

## GIVING—THE WAY OF CHRISTIAN VICTORY

Scripture: (1) Acts 29: 32-35

One of the great privileges of Mankind is his ability to give. There is not one too impoverished to give something to the lives of others. The moment we mention the word giving our minds immediately think of the giving of some material things to others. You may think of the giving of a birthday or anniversary gift, or the giving of material help to one in need. Parents are always giving a never-ending stream of small gifts. Yet the largest gift we can give our children, and the thing they want and need most, is ourselves. No greater example of giving can be found than the example of God Himself. He gave us an orderly world in which to live. He made it possible for us to have physical life. He gave His Son that we may have an abundant life. Christ was always giving. He gave ceaselessly of his knowledge, of His energy, of His compassion, of His mercy and of His love. Last of all He gave us His life. But this only began a new phase and round of his giving new blessings. Jesus knows what it means to give. No wonder He said, "It is more blessed to give than to receive." It is blessed to receive flowers when you are sick, but it is more blessed to be able to give the flowers. It is blessed to be helped by a friend, but it is more blessed to be able to help. There is blessing in giving, because there is joy in sharing.

### I. WE WIN IN THIS LIFE BY GIVING OURSELVES TO OTHERS.

A. Jesus said, "Whosoever will save his life shall lose it: and whosoever will lose his life for my sake shall find it."

1. Living in its fullest sense is giving in its highest sense.
2. He who lives selfishly without regard for others will find that his own life becomes an intolerable burden.

- B. We, who are Christians need to witness for Christ because the more we share our experiences, the finer our experiences become. (We can witness through our tithes).

The Apostle Paul told of his conversion everywhere he went and then preached. It is recorded eight times in the Book of Acts, Chapters 9, 22, and 26.

- C. A Christian who shares his experiences regularly can never be the same again.

## II. THE MORE YOU SHARE, THE GREATER BECOMES YOUR CAPACITY TO GIVE.

- A. It is a law of life that we grow through sharing and giving.

- B. The more you give or share, the greater your capacity to give.

Jesus subtly teaches this truth in the Parable of the Talents. The man who received one talent did not use it. Because he did not, he lost it. (3) Matthew 25: 14-29.

- C. The happiest people I know are the people who give themselves unstintingly to others—to Christ, to family, to church, to friends or to humanity in general.

## III. FROM THE LIFE THAT GIVES WILL COME LIGHT AND LIFE AND POWER.

- A. The face of many a missionary has shone with heavenly, but unsuspected glory when he reported on what God has done through the Gospel he has preached. In the same way, Moses' face shone with an Heavenly Glory after coming down from his meeting with God in the Mount.

- B. Giving at its best (when we give ourselves, we will give our tithes) is the giving of ourselves. It has been said (Wm. Danforth), that "Our most valuable possessions are those which can be shared without lessening. To those which, when shared, multiply. Our least valuable possessions are those which, when divided, diminished."

Christ said, "I GIVE unto them eternal life and they shall never perish. If one is to give, someone must receive. Have you received this gift of eternal life? God wants you to have it. You may have it by trusting Christ as your Saviour.

Dr. English E. Jones  
Cooperative Program

### OUR HOME GOERS,

BEAR SWAMP— Mr. James Watis Wilkins  
 BERE— Reverend L. W. Jacobs  
 BETHEL HILL— Miss Jeanette Huggins, Mrs. Luellen Brewington  
 CAPE FEAR— Mr. Floyd O. Gibbs  
 GRAY POND— Mr. Sandy Chavis  
 HARPER'S FERRY— Mrs. Bosie Oxendine, Mr. Will Roller, Mr. Lonnie Caulder, Mrs. Dovie Dial  
 LEITH CREEK— Mr. Jilley Jones  
 MOUNT AIRY— Mr. E. O. Oxendine, Mr. Nelson Oxendine  
 MOUNT ELIM— Deacon Togo Branch, Miss Carolyn Maynor  
 MOUNT OLIVE— Deacon Worth Sampson, Mrs. Annie Lowry, Mrs. Flora Dial  
 NEW BETHEL— Mr. Jessie Jacobs  
 PINEY GROVE— Mr. Cutler Locklear, Mrs. Annie Locklear, Mr. Dannie Brayboy, Mr. Henry Lambert, Mrs. Lener Locklear  
 REEDY BRANCH— Mrs. Hattie Hunt, Mrs. Swannie Chavis, Mrs. Victoria Sanderson, Mr. Wilie Carter  
 SMYRNA— Mrs. Ruby Hunt, Mrs. Malinda Hunt, Mrs. Clara Mae Hammond, Mrs. Jinnie Jones  
 TEN MILE CENTER— Mrs. Sarah M. Hammonds  
 THOMPSON— Mrs. Maggie Oxendine  
 UNION— Deacon H. S. Fields  
 ZION HILL— Mr. Jerome Locklear, Mrs. Anner M. Hall

### Burnt Swamp Association Financial Report October 1, 1968

#### Receipts

Brought forward, October 1, 1967	\$ 2,434.09
Churches—Burnt Swamp Association	8,533.97
Baptist State Convention	450.00
Sale of Camp Building	615.00
Total	\$12,033.06

#### Expenditures

B. T. U. Program	\$ 20.00
S. N. B. West Side Mission Note	620.00
Clerk	250.00
Assembly program expenses	175.08
Gray & Creech—printing supplies	76.12
Robeson Office Supply—printing	57.13
Freeman Printing Office—Printing	55.00

# BURNT SWAMP BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

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Bulletin —Secretarial work . . . . .	210.00
Postage for bulletin . . . . .	60.00
Postage—general . . . . .	30.36
Dundarrach Note . . . . .	2,120.00
Theo Davis & Sons—Minutes . . . . .	571.74
Seminary Extension—Supplies . . . . .	55.00
Bond for Treasurer . . . . .	5.00
Pates Supply Co.,—Associational supplies . . . . .	15.00
Farm Bureau—Insurance—Camp Building . . . . .	106.00
Miss I. Ruth Martin—Associational Study Course . . . . .	2.85
Reverend Tony Brewington—V. B. S. & Associational work . . . . .	750.00
The Moderator—Expenses . . . . .	100.00
Elrod Mission . . . . .	144.14
<b>Total . . . . .</b>	<b>\$ 5,423.42</b>
<b>Balance, October 1, 1968 . . . . .</b>	<b><u>\$ 6,609.64</u></b>
<b>General Fund . . . . .</b>	<b>\$ 2,994.34</b>
<b>Assembly Fund . . . . .</b>	<b><u>3,615.30</u></b>
<b>Total . . . . .</b>	<b>\$ 6,609.64</b>

John L. Carter, Treasurer  
10-1-68

## BUDGET FOR THE BURNT SWAMP BAPTIST ASSOCIATION 1968-69

### EDUCATION AND PROMOTION

Vacation Bible School . . . . .	\$ 200.00
Sunday School . . . . .	200.00
Training Union . . . . .	250.00
Women's Missionary Union . . . . .	150.00
Music Department . . . . .	100.00
Evangelism Department . . . . .	100.00
Brotherhood Department . . . . .	150.00

### ASSOCIATION OFFICE

Secretary . . . . .	\$ 250.00
Postage . . . . .	50.00
Bonding Fee . . . . .	10.00
Office Supplies . . . . .	200.00
Minutes . . . . .	500.00
Telephone . . . . .	100.00

## SALARIES AND ALLOWANCE

Superintendent of Mission .....	\$ 6,000.00
Cred Card for Gas .....	(\$50.00 per month)
Rent for Missionary's Home .....	1,200.00
Superintendent Trip to Southern Baptist Convention .....	200.00
Superintendent's Trip to State Convention .....	50.00
Superintendent's Retirement .....	200.00
Moderator's Expense .....	300.00
Associational Clerk .....	300.00
Building for Association .....	<u>20,000.00</u>
	29,160.00

## CONSTITUTION OF THE BURNT SWAMP MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

### Article I — Name

The body shall be known as the Burnt Swamp Missionary Baptist Association.

### Article II — Membership

Members of this body shall be messengers elected by the churches of the association, and all ordained ministers of the gospel who are members of the churches within the Association. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers for the first one hundred or portion thereof and an additional messenger for each additional fifty or major fraction thereof.

### Article III — Purpose or Object

The object of this Association shall be to furnish the Baptist Churches of the Burnt Swamp Baptist Association a medium of cooperation for the propagation of the Gospel of Jesus Christ and for the Advancement of the Redeemer's Kingdom by all methods in accordance with the Word of God, and also to emphasize the responsibilities of its membership in relation to Missions, Benevolences, Education, and to cooperate with our State and Southern Baptist Convention to increase the intelligence and spiritual power of the gospel to promote harmony and fellowship among the churches.

### Article IV — Officers

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational Training Union Director, President of the Brotherhood, Associational Superintendent of W. M. U. and Historian.

Section 2. The Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer and Historian shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations. The Nominating Committee's report shall not preclude nominations from the floor. The Associational Sunday School Superintendent, the Training Union Director, President of the Brotherhood, and the Superintendent of the W. M. U. shall be nominated by the respective organizations which they represent and shall be approved by the Executive Board at its June meeting. The Clerk and Treasurer may be combined at the discretion of the Association.

Section 3. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the body. and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall be Chairman of the Executive Board. He shall serve as ex-officio member of all committees. No one may serve as Moderator after two successive terms without a lapse of one year.

Section 4. The Vice-Moderator shall preside in the absence of or at the discretion of the Moderator.

Section 5. The Clerk shall keep an accurate record of the Proceedings of the body, mail blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches affiliated with the Association, prepare, publish, and distribute the minutes of the Association as soon as practicable after adjournment. He shall receive annually a compensation for his services as provided for in the By-Laws.

Section 6. The Treasurer shall receive and distribute all funds of the Association subject to its order or the approval of the Executive Council or the Executive Board or both. The Treasurer shall also make a written report to each quarterly session of the Executive Board showing all receipts and

expenditures and also a written report showing the complete financial operations at each annual session of the Association.

Section 7. All officers of the Association shall assume their duties at the close of the Association.

#### Article V — Prerogative

The Association may sever connection with any church that becomes heterodox in doctrine or disorderly in practice, or that fails to represent itself by letter or messengers for more than two consecutive annual meetings of the Association without good reason thereof, or that treats with contempt the objects and requirements of the Association.

The Association may also sever connection with any church at the request of said church. The Association may receive other Baptist Churches into its membership upon recommendation of the Committee on Petitions. A majority vote to receive shall be required. The Association shall have no power or right to interfere with the internal affairs of the churches, but will be ready at all times to render assistance to any church requesting help.

#### Article VI — Committees

Section 1. The Executive Board shall be composed of the officers of the Association, the Ordained Ministers and one lay member from each church in the Association; the lay member to be elected by the church and the name of each lay member to be reported to the Clerk of the Association. The member of the General Board to the Baptist State Convention, Moderator and Clerk of the Burnt Swamp Baptist Union, Moderator of the Preachers and Deacons Conference, and the Chairman of the Standing Committees shall also be members of the Executive Board.

Section 2. The Executive Board shall have the authority to fill, for the remainder of the Associational year, all vacancies in its membership occurring between sessions of the Association upon recommendation of the Committee on Committees, and it shall lead the Association in a constructive and aggressive Missionary program at all times.

Section 3. The duties of the Executive Board shall be as follows:

- (1) The Executive Board shall administer and be in general charge of the affairs of the Association between its sessions.
- (2) The Executive Board shall coordinate and correlate as far as possible all Associational activities, and to this end all departments of the Associational work shall give their cooperation.
- (3) The Executive Board shall have authority to appeal to the churches for contributions to carry on the work of the Association.
- (4) The Executive Board shall at its discretion set up an Executive Council. The Executive Board shall define its duties, establish its membership, and set the time and the place of the regular meeting.

Section 4. The Executive Board shall meet quarterly, make a written report to each session of the Association covering the work done under its discretion during the preceding year and containing any recommendations the committee may wish to make.

Section 5. The Association shall have the following standing committees, with their terms of office being from the close of the annual meeting through the following annual meeting. Members of all standing committees shall be elected for a term of three years, with one-third of the membership elected each year, except that the terms of the first group of Committees to be chosen shall be staggered, one-third of said committees to serve for a term of one year, one-third of said committees to serve for a term of two years, and one-

third of said committees to serve for a term of three years. Names of all committee members shall be printed in the minutes, together with their terms of office. This rotation does not apply to the Committee on Calendar, whose members serve ex-officio.

- A. To be appointed by the Moderator at the annual meeting, or immediately thereafter. Committee on Committees.
- B. To be nominated by the Committee on Committees and elected by the Association at the annual meeting.
  - (1) Resolutions Committee
  - (2) Finance Committee
  - (3) Missions Committee
  - (4) Nominating Committee
  - (5) Calendar Committee
  - (6) Constitution Committee
  - (7) Membership or Petitions Committee
  - (8) Camp Committee
  - (9) Program Committee
- C. The following Committees shall be appointed by the Moderator at least thirty days prior to the annual meeting to serve during the annual meeting.
  - (1) Time and Place Committee
  - (2) Enrollment Messengers Committee
  - (3) Obituary Committee

Section 6. Other temporary committees that may be created by the Association shall be appointed by the Moderator.

#### Article VII — Duties of the Churches

It shall be the duty of each church to report to the Association annually, by letter and through messengers. These letters should be in the hands of the Clerk ten (10) days before the meeting, giving the correct statistical information of its work and whatever relates to its general welfare, together with funds to meet the financial plan of the Association as recommended by the Budget Committee of the Association. Statistics of the churches shall be tabulated and printed.

#### Article VIII — Duties of Standing Committees

Section 1. The Resolutions Committee, composed of three (3) members, shall draw up and present to the Association, resolutions of appreciation and any other resolution it or the Association may deem wise.

Section 2. The Finance Committee, composed of nine (9) members and the Treasurer, shall study the Association's financial needs for an adequate program, present a budget to the Association for the following year, devise plans for securing the cooperation of the churches in raising funds to meet the budget, and make a written report to the annual meeting.

Section 3. The Missions Committee.

- (1) This committee shall be composed of six (6) members. It shall work with the Associational Missionary in promoting the work in the Association, lead and assist in organizing new churches and in beginning new mission stations.
- (2) If such advice is sought, it shall advise any group seeking to organize a new church. It shall also seek to help any member church desiring assistance with its problems.
- (3) It shall be the duty of this committee to cooperate with the Associational Missionary program, and to supervise the same.

- (4) When without a Missionary, this committee shall seek out and recommend to the Association, or its Executive Board a new Missionary for election.

Section 4. The Nominating Committee, composed of six members, shall contact before and nominate on the last day at the annual meeting of the Association, the officers of the Association, according to Article IV and XII of the Constitution. This committee's nominations shall not preclude other nominations from the floor.

Section 5. The Calendar Committee. This committee shall be composed of the Heads of the Departments, the Moderator of the Union, the Moderator of the Preachers and Deacons Meeting, with the Moderator of the Association, the Clerk and Associational Missionary serving as ex-officio members. This committee shall prepare an Associational Calendar for the coming year and present same to the Executive Board for adoption. After their approval it shall be presented to the Association at the annual meeting.

Section 6. The Constitution Committee shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to study and recommend changes in the Constitution when they deem it necessary and bring reports to the Executive Board and the Association.

Section 7. The Camp Committee shall be composed of six members, including pastors, laymen, and laywomen. It shall direct the development and use of the property with the advice and consent of the Executive Board or the Association.

Section 8. The Program Committee shall be composed of three members and the Moderator and the Clerk. It shall prepare a printed program for the annual meeting of the Association which shall be sent to all persons on the program and to all pastors at least thirty days before the annual meeting of the Association. It shall, in the opening of the annual meeting of the Association, present the printed program for adoption, and serve through the sessions when adjustments in the order of business becomes necessary.

Section 9. The Committee on Committees, composed of six members shall perform the duties as set forth in the Constitution (Article VI. Section 5.), and shall assist the Executive Board in filling vacancies on all other standing committees occurring between sessions. This committee shall also name the chairman of each committee.

Section 10. The Committee on Place and Time, composed of three members, shall receive or solicit invitations for the place or places of meetings for the next annual meeting of the Association, and shall recommend the place or places.

Section 11. The Committee on Enrollment, composed of six members shall prepare for and register all the messengers and visitors attending the Association.

Section 12. The Obituary Committee shall be composed of three members with one being appointed each year. It shall be the duty of this committee to bring a suitable report at the annual meeting and lead in a memorial service in the memory of those reported by the churches to have died since the last annual meeting.

Section 13. The Petitions Committee

- (1) This committee shall be composed of three members with one being appointed each year. Any church seeking admission to the membership of the Association shall petition in writing the Executive Board at least six (6) months before the annual meeting of the Association,

which petition shall be referred to the Petitions Committee for its study of the petitioning church's covenant, articles of faith, history, practices, cooperative spirit, its relations to other member churches of the Association, and its willingness to abide by the Constitution and By-laws of the Association. The Petitions Committee shall then report to the Association, at its next annual meeting, its findings and recommendations for Associational action.

- (2) Each church applying for membership in the Association, upon approval shall be received under watch-care of the Association for a period of one year.

#### Article IX—Meetings

There shall be one annual meeting of the Association and as many additional meetings as deemed necessary by the Association or the Executive Board. The annual session of the Association shall begin on Thursday before the third Sunday in October, at such place as may be chosen.

#### Article X — Amendments

This Constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the members present at any regular meeting provided notice has been given at a preceding meeting of the proposed change and the minutes bear a record thereof.

#### Article XI — Advisory Board

Section 1. An Advisory Board, composed of five ordained ministers and deacons, shall be appointed annually by the Moderator, whose duty shall be to assist the churches of the Burnt Swamp Association in adjusting their differences. They shall act as an arbitrator.

Section 2. They shall assist the pastors in ordaining preachers and deacons.

Section 3. A minister coming from another denomination must pass satisfactorily an examination along Baptist doctrinal lines before being recommended to his church for ordination.

#### Article XII—Trustees and their Election

Section 1. There shall be three trustees of the Association, serving terms of three years each. On nomination by the Committee on Nominations, one trustee shall be elected at each annual meeting. The expiration date of each trustee's term of office shall appear by his name in the Associational Minutes.

Section 2. Trustees shall serve for a term of three years, except that the terms of the first group of trustees to be chosen shall be staggered, one of said trustees to serve for a term of one year, one of said trustees to serve for a term of two years, and one of said trustees to serve for a term of three years.

Section 3. The duty of the trustees shall be: to hold in trust any property, money, endowment, or other securities of said Association, and they shall handle all legal matters of the Association under the direction of the Association or its Executive Board.

#### Article XIII — Superintendent of Missions

Section 1. His selection shall be upon recommendation of the Committee on Missions and on vote by the Association in its annual meeting, or between sessions of the Association, by its Executive Board. He shall be ex-officio of all committees and organizations of the Association in a serving and advisory capacity.

Section 2. The Associational Missionary shall promote the work of the Association and Denomination, cooperating with the churches, their pastors and officers, and the Associational Committees and Organizations.

### General Duties of Associational Missionary

1. His relationship to the organizations of the Association shall be that of Pastor Advisor.
2. He shall offer his services to the churches as needs arise, and work with them upon their invitation.
3. He shall lead in the Primary Missions work of the Association, in co-operation with the Missions Committee.
4. He shall promote the whole program of the Association, the Baptist State Convention, and the Southern Baptist Convention.
5. He shall serve as ex-officio member of the committees of the Association.
6. His work shall be under the direction of the Association.
7. He shall have two weeks annual vacation with pay, plus two weeks of revival time exclusive of his mission work, if desired, with honorarium kept for personal use. All other honoraria shall be given back into the Treasury of the Association.
8. He shall have administrative supervision of such work as assigned him by the Association.
9. The Missionary shall report to the Association through a bulletin mailed at least monthly.

### BY-LAWS

Section 1. Robert's Rules of Order shall be used as a standard for parliamentary procedure for the transaction of all business.

Section 2. A quorum for the transaction of business shall consist of messengers from a majority of the churches.

Section 3. Every person wishing to speak shall rise and address the Moderator, confining himself closely to the subject under discussion, bearing in mind always to observe a spirit of brotherhood and Christian love.

Section 4. Persons addressing the body shall not be interrupted within their allotted time unless out of order, or for the purpose of explanation.

Section 5. No person shall speak more than twice on any given subject without permission from the Association.

Section 6. If anyone shall think that the Moderator has unfairly stated a motion, the person making the motion shall reduce it to writing, and it shall be read by the Clerk before the vote is taken.

Section 7. That the Clerk be allowed \$250.00 per year for his service.

Section 8. These By-Laws may be changed by a two-thirds vote of the body at any session.

### ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Report of Clerk.
2. Election of Clerk.
3. Calling of Petitionary Letters.
4. Appointment of Committees.
5. Report of Treasurer.
6. Reports.
7. Reports of Special Committees.
8. Election of Moderator, Vice-Moderator and Treasurer.
9. Miscellaneous Business.
10. Incidentals and routine business shall be in order at any time.
11. Adjournment.

# HISTORICAL TABLE

Date	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1880	Burnt Swamp	Cary Wilkins	J. S. Wilkins	F. Prevatte
1881	Reedy Branch	Cary Wilkins	J. S. Wilkins	Cary Wilkins
1882	Magnolia	Cary Wilkins	J. S. Wilkins	J. W. Blanks
1883	Mt. Pleasant	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	Cary Wilkins
1884	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1885	Mt. Olive	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	Jordan Chavis
1886	Mt. Pleasant	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	J. W. Blanks
1887	Oak Grove	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	Jordan Chavis
1888	Reedy Branch	Gilbert Locklear	E. Sampson	Gilbert Locklear
1889	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1890	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1891	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1892	Magnolia	J. W. Blanks	Joseph Sampson	S. McLeod
1893	Burnt Swamp	J. W. Blanks	Joseph Sampson	A. D. Locklear
1894	Harper's Ferry	Cary Wilkins	A. S. Locklear	Wm. Sampson
1895	Piney Grove	Cary Wilkins	A. S. Locklear	A. D. Locklear
1896	Oak Grove	Cary Wilkins	Joseph Sampson	Gilbert Locklear
1897	Mt. Olive	Cary Wilkins	Joseph Sampson	Gilbert Locklear
1898	Deep Branch	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	None
1899	Burnt Swamp	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	A. D. Locklear
1900	Reedy Branch	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	Jordan Chavis
1901	Harper's Ferry	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	P. P. Locklear
1902	Piney Grove	Wm. Sampson	Joseph Sampson	J. J. Bell
1903	Deep Branch	J. W. Blanks	E. Sampson	Wm. Sampson
1904	Reedy Branch	Wm. Sampson	E. Sampson	A. D. Locklear
1905	Piney Grove	Gilbert Locklear	A. S. Locklear	E. F. Warlax
1906	Oak Grove	Gilbert Locklear	W. G. Hunt	J. E. Hunt
1907	Burnt Swamp	Gilbert Locklear	A. N. Locklear	J. J. Bell
1908	Mt. Olive	J. E. Hunt	A. N. Locklear	J. W. Blanks
1909	Bear Swamp	J. W. Blanks	A. N. Locklear	J. C. Clark
1910	Reedy Branch	J. J. Bell	A. N. Locklear	P. P. Locklear
1911	Harper's Ferry	J. J. Bell	A. N. Locklear	A. T. Taylor
1912	Deep Branch	J. J. Bell	A. N. Locklear	M. L. Brewington
1913	Mt. Olive	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	Z. B. Brooks
1914	Reedy Branch	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	W. G. Hunt
1915	Deep Branch	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	J. J. Bell
1916	Mt. Airy	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	S. S. Lowry
1917	Oak Grove	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	D. P. Locklear
1918	Mt. Olive	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	J. C. Clark
1919	Antioch	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	J. C. Clark
1920	Deep Branch	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	S. J. Chavis
1921	Piney Grove	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	H. E. Coleman
1922	Reedy Branch	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	J. J. Bell
1923	Harper's Ferry	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	S. A. Hammonds
1924	Mt. Airy	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	J. C. Clark
1925	Bear Swamp	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	J. E. Hunt
1926	Mt. Olive	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	S. A. Hammonds
1927	Bethel Hill	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	S. A. Hammonds
1928	Antioch	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	L. W. Jacobs
1929	Bear Swamp	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	J. W. Beagle
1930	Reedy Branch	S. A. Hammonds	A. N. Locklear	L. A. Maynor
1931	Mt. Airy	S. A. Hammonds	A. N. Locklear	None
1932	Mt. Moriah	S. A. Hammonds	A. N. Locklear	C. E. Locklear
1933	Piney Grove	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	S. A. Hammonds
1934	Ten Mile Center	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	L. W. Jacobs
1935	Harper's Ferry	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	G. J. Chavis
1936	Bear Swamp	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	C. H. Maynor
1937	Deep Branch	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	Dawley Maynor
1938	Mt. Olive	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	L. W. Jacobs
1939	Harper's Ferry	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	C. E. Locklear
1940	Mt. Airy	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	S. A. Hammonds
1941	Berea	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	Roy Maynor
1942	Bear Swamp			
	Bethel Hill	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	G. J. Chavis
1943	Mt. Airy			
	Reedy Branch	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	T. M. Swett
1944	Pembroke First			
	Gray Pond	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Percell Locklear
1945	Piney Grove			
	Berea	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Ernest Gregg
1946	Oak Grove			
	Mt. Moriah	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Dawley Maynor
1947	Pleasant View			
	Bear Swamp	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Harvie Brewington
1948	Mt. Olive			
	Deep Branch	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	W. Earl Robinson
1949	Harper's Ferry			
	Cedar Grove	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	L. W. Jacobs

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Date	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1950	Mt. Elim			
1951	Mt. Airy -----	C. E. Locklear -----	J. L. Carter -----	J. E. Hammonds
	Pembroke First			
1952	Reedy Branch -----	C. E. Locklear -----	J. L. Carter -----	W. W. Black
	Pembroke Camp			
1953	Piney Grove -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	M. A. Huggins
	Harper's Ferry			
1954	Bear Swamp -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	Arch McMillan
	Reedy Branch			
1955	Union -----	Roy Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	P. M. Dorr
	Mt. Airy			
1956	New Bethel -----	Roy Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	A. P. Stephens
	Harper's Ferry			
1957	Piney Grove -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	D. J. Long
	Mt. Elim			
1958	New Hope -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	C. E. Locklear
	Pembroke First			
1959	Reedy Branch -----	C. E. Locklear -----	J. L. Carter -----	Clyde B. Simpson
	Mt. Moriah			
1960	Bear Swamp -----	C. E. Locklear -----	J. L. Carter -----	W. R. Wagoner
	Island Grove			
1961	Deep Branch -----	Roy Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	D. M. Branch
	Smyrna			
1962	Pleasant View -----	Roy W. Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	
	Mt. Airy			
1963	Berea -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	W. R. Griggs
	Harper's Ferry			
1964	New Hope -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	L. P. Hardy
	Berea			
1965	New Point -----	English Jones -----	J. L. Carter -----	C. W. Maynor
	Mount Olive -----			
1966	Bear Swamp -----	English Jones -----	J. L. Carter -----	Ben F. Broadway
	Reedy Branch			
1967	Mt. Airy -----	C. W. Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	English Jones
	Harper's Ferry			
1968	Piney Grove -----	C. W. Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	C. M. Cummings
	Deep Branch			
	Pleasant View -----	C. W. Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	Hoyle Langford



TABLE B—THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

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Churches	Ambrose L. Chavis, Jr., Associational Director Pembroke, N. C. 28372 Training Union Directors and Addresses		Nursery (3 or under) enro	Beginners (4-5) enrollment	Primaries (6-8) enrollment	Juniors (9-12) enrollment	Intermediates (13-16) enrollment	Young people sin (17-24) enrollment	Young people ma (17-24) enrollment	Adults (25-34) enrollment	Adults (35-64) enrollment	Adults (65 up) enrollment	General officers	Mission enrollment	Total ongoing enrollment	Average weekly total attendance	Number of new u organized past ye	New member orle	Church leader training—cum. enr	Member training projects—cum. enr	Grand total—cong & cumulative enr
Antioch							15	12						32	25						
Bear Swamp			4	6	21	36	17	13		8			2		107						107
Berea																					
Bethel Hill																					
Beulah																					
Burnt Swamp																					
Cape Fear			2	5	5	14	17	10		5	16		8		74	1					1
Cedar Grove																					
Cherokee Chapel																					
Deep Branch			4	6	8	12	14	16		10			2	62	40						
Dogwood																					
Elizabeth Heights																					
Galilee																					
Gospel Tabernacle																					
Gray Pond																					
Harper's Ferry			2			6							3								
Island Grove					10	12	16	3			12		6		55	18					
Leith Creek											8				35						
Lowry's Chapel																					
Mount Airy			1	6	3	24	18	9		9			6								
Mount Bethel																					
Mount Elim																					
Mount Moriah																					
Mount Olive																					
New Bethel																					
New Hope			3	2	4	8	3			10			4		34	25					
New Point																					
Oak Grove																					
Pee Dee Chapel																					
Pembroke First			4	4	4	17	15	8	4				3		69	48					69
Piney Grove							6			10					15						
J. W. Hunt					26	28	15	20		38			4		127	93	1				
Pleasant View					6	10	8	5					6		38						
Reedy Branch			4																		
Smyrna																					
Tabernacle																					
Ten Mile Center																					
Thompson																					
Union			8	10	10	9	12			15					64	50					
Zion Hill																					
Saint James																					
South Hoke																					
Dundarrach Mission			18	43	87	177	153	108	13	61	83		44	94	555	363	1	3			232

## TABLE D--MUSIC MINISTRY

Churches	C. E. Oxendine Associational Music Director Rowland, N. C. 28383	Music Directors and Addresses	Beginners (4-5) enrollment	Primaries (6-8) enrollment	Juniors (9-12) enrollment	Intermediates (13-16) enrollment	Young people single & married enrollment	Adults enrollment	Vocal ensembles	Band or orchestra	Instrumental ensembles	Handbell ringers	General officers	Mission enrollment	Total enrollment	Average weekly attendance	No. choirs, ensembles, etc. organized past year
Antioch	Etha Wilkins	..... Rte. 1, St. Pauls														27	
Bear Swamp	Lacy Cummings	..... Rt 1, Hopewell Rd., Rowland 28383						18									
Berea	Mrs. Mary Bell	..... P. O. Box 386, Pembroke 28372		20			27										
Bethel Hill																	
Beulah																	
Burnt Swamp	W. O. Maynor	..... Box 397, Pembroke 28372															
Cape Fear	Mrs. Nancy E. Jacobs	..... Indian Dr., Fayetteville 28301		12			3	16									
Cedar Grove																	
Cherokee Chapel	Mrs. Katherine Locklear	..... Rte. 2, Whiteville 28472												15		13	
Deep Branch	C. A. Sampson	..... Rte. 4, Lumberton 28358						15									
Dogwood	Laney Hunt	..... Rte. 1, Rowland 28383															
Elizabeth Heights	Jiles Jacobs	..... Rte. 1, Lumberton 28358															
Galilee																	
Gospel Tabernacle	Adrian Jacobs	..... Route 1, Maxton 28364															
Gray Pond																	
Harper's Ferry	Clarence E. Oxendine	..... Rte. 1, Rowland 28383					12	18					3		33	20	
Island Grove	Jimmie Bryant	..... Route 3, Box 216, Maxton 28364		13			11	10					3		37		
Leith Creek	Mrs. Pattie Driggers	..... Rt 1, Box 175, Maxton 28364															
Lowry's Chapel	Mrs. Mildred Bullard	..... Rt 1, Box 105A, Aberdeen 28315															
Mount Atry	Mrs. Mary Jane Bryant	..... Rt 1, Box 250, Pembroke 28372		19													1
Mount Bethel																	
Mount Bethel	Freeman Locklear	..... Rt 1, Box 135, Red Springs						9									
Mount Elin																	
Mount Moriah																	
Mount Olive	Gene Locklear	..... Route 3, Lumberton 28358															
New Bethel	Wilbert L. Bell	..... Route 3, Clinton 28328		6	10	5		6					3		41	25	
New Hope																	
New Point	Wilbert Sampson	..... Route 4, Lumberton 28358									1	1					1
Oak Grove																	
Pec Dee Chapel	Mrs. Fannie Lowry	..... Pembroke 28372															
Pembroke First	Mrs. Patricia C. Hunt	..... 201 McKenzie St., Fairmont 28340		20		4	4	16								40	
Piney Grove																	
Pleasant View																	
Reedy Branch	Norman Hammonds	..... Rt 1, Box 159, Rowland 28383															
Smyrna																	
Tabernacle																	
Ten Mile Center	Mrs. Sue Jones	..... Route 1, St. Pauls 28384															
Thompson	Mrs. Mable S. Dial	..... Rt 3, Box 129, Lumberton 28358															
Union																	
Zion Hill	George McMillan	..... Route 3, Lumberton 28358															

Churches	James B. Locklear Associational Brotherhood Director Route 4, Lumberton, N. C.	Brotherhood Directors and Addresses														
		Crusaders (9-11) Chapters	Crusaders (9-11) Enrollment	Pioneers (12-14) Chapters	Pioneers (12-14) Enrollment	Ambassadors (15-17) Chapters	Ambassadors (15-17) Enrollment	Total RA Chapters	Total RA Enrollment	Baptist Young Men Enrollment	Baptist Men Enrollment	Total Men Enrolled	Mission Enrollment (RAS and Men)	Total Enrollment		
Antioch																
Bear Swamp																
Berea																
Bethel Hill																
Beulah																
Burnt Swamp																
Cape Fear																
Cedar Grove																
Cherokee Chapel																
Deep Branch																
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		7	46	7	47	8	44	21	125	24	62	76	50	273		

TABLE F—WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

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Churches	Church Librarians and Addresses		Cooperative prog get 45 % of total budget for coming year	Value of pastor's home	Value of church property (incl. pastor's home)	Total church deb at end of fiscal year	Kindergarten	Recreation comm	Vacation Bible School	Budget Church council/ cabinet	Library	Christian life committee	Student night at Christmas—1957	Stewardship committee	Mission VBS	Missions comm.	Religious liberty Sunday	S.S. Council
Antioch	Mrs. Dorothy Maynor . . . . . P. O., Pembroke 28372		4	10	5,000			x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x		
Bear Swamp			12	2	75,000			x	x	x				x				
Berea					58,000			x						x				
Bethel Hill					15,000													
Beulah			10	10	15,000			x	x									
Burnt Swamp					30,000			x	x									
Cape Fear					9,500													
Cedar Grove			5	3	12,000													
Cherokee Chapel			20		2,500													
Deep Branch					6,000													
Dogwood			8		10,000													
Elizabeth Heights					30,000													
Galilee																		
Gospel Tabernacle					30,000													
Gray Pond			10	10	1,400													
Harper's Ferry			3		4,500													
Island Grove					30,000													
Leith Creek																		
Lowry's Chapel					11,000													
Mount Airy			2	5	100,000													
Mount Bethel					30,000	94												
Mount Elim					35,000													
Mount Moriah					10,000													
Mount Olive			10	10	22,000													
New Bethel			10	5	72,000	2,000												
New Hope																		
New Point					15,000													
Oak Grove					35,000													
Pee Dee Chapel					7,000													
Pembroke First			5		50,000													
Piney Grove					25,000													
Pleasant View					25,000													
Reedy Branch					6,800													
Smyrna			2		25,000													
Tabernacle					20,000	70												
Ten Mile Center																		
Thompson					7,000													
Union																		
Zion Hill					10,500	2,367												
Dundarrach Mission			5	5	50,000													
Saint James																		
South Hoke			101	65	46,500	838,200	5,931	5	30	3	5	8	2	7	10	4	1	5

TABLE H—TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES, AND STEWARDSHIP INFORMATION

Churches	James H. Hammonds Associational Treasurer Route 3, Lumberton, N. C. 28358	Treasurers and addresses	Budget prom. or emphyasis used		Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Receipts	Pastor's salary (actual's spent)	Other church salaries	Local mission expenditures	Money spent on new construction past year	Debt retirement	All other expenditures	Total Local expenditures
			Forward prog.	Stewardship										
			None	Growth in membership										
			Number of tithe											
Clinton T. Thomas	.....	Route 2, Lumberton	28358	x	1,532		1,532	300	120	551				971
Newman Oxendine	.....	Post Office, Pembroke	28372	10	8,103		8,103	800	745					3,278
William X. Oxendine	.....	P. O. Box 316, Pembroke	28372	33	16,053		16,053	800	925					1,748
James H. Hammonds	.....	Rt. 3, Box 309, Lumberton	28358		2,415	x	2,415	536	422		240			512
Bethel Hill	.....	Route 1, Rowland	28358		2,280		2,280	300	104		800			1,774
Bethel	.....	.....	.....		3,022		3,022	570			1,157			550
Hubert Locklear	.....	Route 1, Lumberton	28358	3	5,048		5,048	5,473						65
B. F. Maynor	.....	430 N. Plymouth St., Fayetteville	28301	7	1,790		1,790	550	259		226			1,247
Cape Fear	.....	.....	.....		6,440		6,440	800	300					3,461
Cherokee Chapel	.....	Route 4, Lumberton	28358	6	950		950	480		65	800			4,561
Deep Branch	.....	Route 2, Rowland	28383		18,000		18,000	300	113		650			325
Dogwood	.....	Route 4, Lumberton	28358	5	2,066		2,066							1,670
Elizabeth Heights	.....	Route 4, Red Springs	28377	6										65
Galilee	.....	Route 4, Red Springs	28377	5										1,128
Gospel Tabernacle	.....	Route 1, Box 39, Maxton	28364	25				2,146	96		3,366			2,617
Gray Pond	.....	Route 3, Box 311, Laurinburg		x	12,472		12,472	2,000	800		100			6,624
Harper's Ferry	.....	.....	28383	12	x									3,120
Harper's Ferry	.....	Rt 1, Box 173B, Pembroke	28372	3	9,260		9,260	2,475		952				5,500
Island Creek	.....	.....	28364		50		50							8,300
Leith Grove	.....	Route 1, Maxton	28376		18,298		18,298	3,972	660			5,627		3,235
Lowry's Chapel	.....	Rt 1, Box 119, Rae ford	28376		1,109		1,109							15,701
Mount Atry	.....	Route 1, Box 266, Pembroke	28372	25	x			600	864		1,000			1,000
Mount Bethel	.....	Route 1, Hollister	27844	10				480	140		10,119			3,464
Mount Bethel	.....	Rt 1, Box 135, Red Springs		13	9,471		9,471	600	180					300
Mount Elm	.....	.....	28358	5				600	180					11,039
Mount Moriah	.....	.....	28358	5				600	180					1,999
Mount Olive	.....	312 E. 15th St., Lumberton	28358		3,740		3,740	800	145	160				3,032
New Bethel	.....	.....	28328					705	620	316	4,991			8,250
New Hope	.....	Route 1, Clinton	28328					2,200	240					8,932
New Hope	.....	Route 1, Bolton	28423		8,399		8,399	4,568	216					2,845
New Point	.....	Route 2, Lumberton	28358	2	4,568		4,568	800						1,975
Oak Grove	.....	Route 3, Box 281, Laurinburg	28352	5				881	342	35	633			592
Pee Dee Chapel	.....	.....	28372		5,446		5,446	2,475	133	231	338			207
Pembroke First	.....	Route 1, Gibson						773	240	311	133			1,479



TABLE J—SPECIAL INFORMATION

Churches	Chairmen of Deacons and Addresses										Frequency of church council meetings					
	Church participates in plan for:			Other staff member	Is pastor in social security program?	Your pastor and paid employment apart from church			Number ordained for gospel ministry during year	Number licensed for gospel ministry during year	Pastor's annual salary	Do not have council	Weekly	Monthly	Quarterly	
	Pastor					Full-time employment elsewhere	Part-time employment elsewhere	Has none elsewhere								
Antioch	Clinton L. Thomas . . . . .	Route 2, Lumberton 28358					x	x			800			x		
Bear Swamp	Lacy Cummings . . . . .	Route 1, Rowland 28283			Yes										x	
Berea	Sanford Sampson . . . . .	P. O. Box, Pembroke 28372			No	x					536				x	
Bethel Hill	S. V. Emanuel . . . . .	Route 1, Shannon			No						600					
Beulah	McKinley Strickland . . . . .	Route 1, Rowland 28383			No						570					
Burnt Swamp	W. O. Maynor . . . . .	Box 397, Pembroke 28372			Yes		x				400				x	
Cape Fear	James Groves . . . . .	216 Eleanor Ave., Fayetteville 28301			No	x					400					
Cherokee Chapel	C. H. Hammonds . . . . .	Route 1, Chadbourne 28436														
Cedar Grove																
Deep Branch	Bowman Freeman . . . . .	Route 1, Pembroke 28372							1		800				x	
Dagwood	James Hunt . . . . .	Route 1, Rowland 28383			Yes			x			600					
Elizabeth Heights	Edward Locklear . . . . .	303 Chestnut St., Lumberton 28358					x		1		600					
Galilee	Russell Locklear . . . . .	Route 2, Red Springs 28377			No		x				2,146				x	
Gospel Tabernacle	Carl Hunt, Jr. . . . .	Route 1, Rowland 28383														
Gray Pond	O. H. Harding . . . . .	Route 3, Laurinburg									2,000				x	
Harper's Ferry	Dr. English Jones . . . . .	Pembroke 28372				x			1		2,475				x	
Island Grove	William Strickland . . . . .	Route 1, Pembroke 28372														
Leith Creek	A. D. Driggers . . . . .	Route 1, Box 175, Maxton 28364			No											
Lowry's Chapel	Roscoe Lowry . . . . .	Route 1, Box 237, Raeford 28376									3,972					
Mount Airy	Herbert Locklear . . . . .	Route 1, Pembroke 28372	x												x	
Mount Bethel	Percy Richardson . . . . .	P. O. Box 4, Hollister 27844									480					
Mount Elin	Bruce Oxendine . . . . .	Route 1, Rowland 28383			Yes				1		600				x	
Mount Moriah	G. H. Locklear . . . . .	Route 1, Lumberton 28358			Yes		x				800					
Mount Olive	Stinson Revels . . . . .	Route 3, Lumberton 28358			Yes						1,000				x	
New Bethel	Clifton Simmons . . . . .	Route 2, Clinton 28328									2,400				x	
New Hope																
New Point	Earlie Hunt . . . . .	Route 2, Box 296, Lumberton 28358			Yes	x					216				x	
Oak Grove	Smiley Chavis . . . . .	Route 3, Laurinburg 28352									800					
Pee Dee Chapel																
Pembroke First	Grady Holmes . . . . .	Pembroke 28372			No	x					342					
Piney Grove	W. C. Hammonds . . . . .	Pembroke 28372			No		x				2,475				x	
Pleasant View					No						773				x	
Reedy Branch					No		x				500				x	
Smyrna	Grady Chavis . . . . .	Route 4, Box 90-A, Lumberton 28358			No						625				x	
Tabernacle	Clarence Hammonds . . . . .	Route 5, Lumberton 28358			No	x			2		480					
Ten Mile Center	James Chavis . . . . .	Route 3, Lumberton 28358														
Thompson	F. H. Epps . . . . .	Route 3, Lumberton 28358														
Union	Rudolph Dial . . . . .	Route 3, Box 129, Lumberton 28358									300				x	
Zion Hill	Carlie Jacobs . . . . .	Lumberton 28358				x					3,600					
	Leander Oxendine . . . . .	Route 1, Box 289, Pembroke	x								1,200					





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October 15, 1970 and Union Church  
October 16, 1970

## Reverend Z. R. Chavis



JULY 3, 1871 — OCTOBER 12, 1969

Reverend Z. R. Chavis, the son of Preston Chavis, was born in Robeson County, Pembroke, North Carolina, near Saint Annah Church on July 3, 1871.

Reverend Chavis was licensed to preach in April, 1907 at Bear Swamp Missionary Baptist Church. He was ordained in 1911. He helped organize five Baptist churches:

- Cape Fear, Fayetteville, North Carolina
- Galilee, Red Springs, North Carolina
- Piney Hill, Rowland, North Carolina
- Union Light, Maxton North Carolina
- Zion Hill, Rennert, North Carolina

Reverend Chavis did pastoral work in the following churches:

Bear Swamp, Cape Fear, Galilee, Gray Pond, Harper's Ferry, Magnolia, Mount Moriah, Piney Hill, Pleasant View, St. Peter, Union Light, and Zion Hill.

He did mission work in North Carolina, South Carolina, Alabama, Georgia, and Maryland. He was known as the "Walking Preacher", because he did not have any other private transportation.

Also, he helped raise thirteen children, eleven of his own and two adopted.

Reverend Chavis' policy was going about doing good for others.

## **Reverend John D. Chavis**



DECEMBER 17, 1893 — JULY 29, 1969

Reverend John D. Chavis joined Gray Pond Church in 1911. He served as a minister from 1922 until 1969. Reverend Chavis was a supply preacher at the following churches:

Burnt Swamp Church

Deep Branch Church

Gray Pond Church

Mount Airy Church

Mount Moriah Church

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## NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

BURNT SWAMP BAPTIST  
ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS

1969-70

Moderator	-----	Rev. A. A. Lockee
Vice-Moderator	-----	Mr. Frank Epps
Clerk	-----	John L. Carter
Treasurer	-----	James H. Hammonds
Historian	-----	James H. Brewington

## TRUSTEES

Charles Maynor, Purnell Swett, John L. Carter

## I COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

	Term
F. H. Epps -----	3 yrs.
Miss Anna Mae Locklear -----	2 yrs.
Rev. Tommie M. Swett -----	2 yrs.
Grady Chavis -----	1 yr.
Miss Margaret Locklear -----	1 yr.
James Brewington -----	3 yrs.

## II TIME AND PLACE COMMITTEE

Russel Locklear -----	3 yrs.
Rev. James Dial -----	2 yrs.
Rev. Harvey Brewington -----	1 yr.

## III ENROLLMENT MESSENGERS AND VISTORS

Mrs. Albert Hammonds -----	3 yrs.
Mrs. Zeb A. Lowry -----	3 yrs.
Mrs. John L. Carter -----	2 yrs.
Hattie Hunt -----	2 yrs.
Mrs. Robert Strickland -----	1 yr.
Mrs. Coolidge Cummings -----	1 yr.

## IV OBITUARY COMMITTEE

Rev. L. A. Maynor -----	2 yrs.
Rev. Wade Locklear -----	3 yrs.
Rev. N. R. Morgan -----	1 yr.

## ADVISORY BOARD

Rev. C. W. Maynor  
 Rev. Coolidge Cummings  
 Rev. Chesley Hammonds  
 Albert Hammond  
 Curtis Oxendine

## I RESOLUTION COMMITTEE

	Term
James E. Chavis -----	1 yr.
Rev. Harvey Brewington -----	2 yrs.
James C. Clark -----	3 yrs.

## II FINANCE COMMITTEE

John Earl Cummings -----	1 yr.
Norman Hammonds -----	2 yrs.
Bowman Freeman -----	2 yrs.
Clinton Thomas -----	2 yrs.
Newman Oxendine -----	1 yr.
Rev. Graham Warriax -----	1 yr.
Clarence F. Locklear -----	3 yrs.
Junior Archie Deese -----	3 yrs.
James B. Locklear -----	3 yrs.

## III MISSIONS COMMITTEE

Rev. Charles S. Warriax -----	1 yr.
Rev. Chesley Hammonds -----	2 yrs.
Kern Morgan -----	2 yrs.
Rev. T. M. Swett -----	1 yr.
Rev. Sanford Locklear -----	3 yrs.
Rev. Grady Cummings -----	3 yrs.

## IV CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE

Tommie D. Swett -----	3 yrs.
Frank H. Epps -----	2 yrs.
Dalton Brooks -----	1 yr.

## V MEMBERSHIP ON PETITIONS COMMITTEE

Rev. Roy Maynor -----	1 yr.
Grady Holmes -----	2 yrs.
Rev. King Maynor -----	3 yrs.

## VI CAMP COMMITTEE

Rev. C. E. Locklear .....	1 yr.
Miss Anna Mae Locklear .....	3 yrs.
Bill James Brewington .....	3 yrs.
Mrs. Clyde Brewington .....	2 yrs.
Josephus Locklear .....	2 yrs.
Harold Dial .....	1 yr.

## VII PROGRAM COMMITTEE

Marshal Locklear .....	1 yr.
Loletta Blanks .....	3 yrs.
Dr. English Jones .....	2 yrs.

## VIII NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Purnell Swett .....	1 yr.
Miss Margaret Locklear .....	2 yrs.
Rev. Charles Maynor .....	2 yrs.
Marshal Locklear .....	1 yr.
Mrs. Grace S. Epps .....	3 yrs.
Joseph Locklear .....	3 yrs.

## CALENDAR COMMITTEE

Reverend Welton Lowry .....	Moderator Preachers and Deacons
Reverend Sanford Locklear .....	Moderator of Union
Delton R. Locklear .....	Associational Sunday School Supt.
Ambrose Chavis .....	Training Union Director
Miss Anna Mae Locklear .....	WMU Associational Superintendent

## OFFICERS FOR THE BURNT SWAMP BAPTIST ASSEMBLY

Building and Grounds, Located in Pembroke, North Carolina

Mr. Purnell Swett .....	Box 745, Pembroke, N. C.	28372
Rev. C. W. Maynor .....	Route 1, Pembroke, N. C.	28372
Mr. Grady Chavis .....	Route 4, Lumberton, N. C.	28358
Mr. James H. Hammonds .....	Route 3, Box 309, Lumberton, N. C.	28358
Mr. Marshall Locklear .....	P. O. Box 361, Pembroke, N. C.	28372

## REPRESENTATIVE COMMITTEE

Assn. Music Supt. ....	Mrs. Mable Lowry
Cooperative Program .....	Dr. English Jones
Baptist Homes for the Aging .....	James Brewington
AM — Bible Society .....	Miss I. Ruth Martin
N. C. Baptist Hospital .....	Quinnie Hunt
N. C. Baptist Children's Homes .....	Tommy D. Swett
Assn. Sunday School Supt. ....	Delton Ray Locklear

Director -----	James B.Locklear
Associate Director -----	James D. Dial
Men's Leader -----	James Brewington
Young Men's Leader -----	Spencer Locklear
Royal Ambassador Leader -----	Josephus Locklear

W. M. U. Director ---- Miss Anna Mae Locklear, Box 424, Pembroke  
W. M. S. Director ----- Miss Margaret Locklear, Rte. 1, Pembroke  
Secretary-Treasurer ----- Mrs. Bertine Prine, Box 473, Pembroke  
G. A. Director ----- Miss Margaret Locklear, Rte. 1, Pembroke  
Y. W. A. Director ----- Miss Hattie Hunt, Rte. 3, Fairmont  
Sunbeam Director  
Prayer Group Leader ---- Mrs. Fred Chavis, Rte. 1, Box 151, Rowland  
Mission Study Group Chairman - Miss I. Ruth Martin, P. O., Pembroke  
Mission Action Group Leader Mrs. Clyde Brewington, Rte. 4, Lumberton  
Pianist ----- Mrs. James F. Lowry, P. O., Pembroke

Director ----- Ambrose L. Chavis, Jr., P. O. Box 303, Pembroke  
Director of New Church Member Orientation -----  
Welton Lowry, P. O., Pembroke  
Director of Church Leader Training, Joseph Locklear, Rte. 1, Pembroke  
Secretary ----- Mrs. Albert Hammonds, Rte. 4, Lumberton  
Assistant ----- Mrs. Christine Griffin, Lumberton  
Music Director ----- C. A. Sampson, Rte. 1, Pembroke  
Assistant ----- Miss Gladys Freeman, Rte. 1, Fairmont  
Pianist ----- Deane Hammonds, Rte. 4, Lumberton  
Assistant ----- Lavonda Sampson, Rte. 1, Pembroke  
Pastor Advisor ----- Reverend C. M. Cummings, Rte. 3, Maxton

**New Church Member Orientation Age Group Leaders:**

Adults -----	Dalton Brooks, Rte. 1, Pembroke
Young People -----	Harold B. Locklear, Rte. 3, Maxton
Intermediates -----	Donnie L. Hunt, Rte. 2, Fairmont
Juniors -----	Grady Chavis

Adults ----- Herbert H. Lloyd, P. O., Pembroke  
 Assistant ----- James A. Jacobs, P. O., Pembroke  
 Young People ----- Vinson Hunt, Rte. 1, Box 29c, Fairmont  
 Assistant ----- Bill J. Brewington, P. O., Pembroke

Intermediates -----	Mrs. Ether Mae Harris, P. O., Pembroke
Assistant -----	Percy Oxendine, P. O., Pembroke
Juniors -----	Roy Lacy Cummings, Rte. 1, Pembroke
Primary -----	Mrs. Wessie Chavis, Rte. 4, Lumberton
Assistant -----	Miss Shirley Oxendine, Rte. 2, Fairmont
Beginners -----	Mrs. Vivian Lowry, P. O., Pembroke

### ASSOCIATIONAL YOUTH PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT

President -----	Betty Jo Hunt, Rte. 4, Lumberton
Vice President -----	Gladys Freeman, Rte. 1, Fairmont
Counselor -----	Reverend Jimmy Fox, P. O., Pembroke

### LOCAL CHURCH EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVES

ANTIOCH — Winston Carter, Route 1, St. Pauls.	
BEAR SWAMP — James Chavis, Route 2, Pembroke	28372
BEREA — Marshall Locklear, Pembroke	28372
BETHEL HILL — Cecil Hunt, 107 Hayes Street, Lumberton	28358
BEULAH — Bradford Locklear, Route 1, Rowland	28383
BURNT SWAMP — W. O. Maynor, Box 397, Pembroke	28372
CAPE FEAR — Willie B. Jacobs, Route 3, Box 1103, Fayetteville	
CEDAR GROVE — Ray Chavis, Route 3, Box 469, Fairmont	28340
CHEROKEE CHAPEL — T. W. Stewart, Route 1, Box 451, Chadbourn	28431
DEEP BRANCH — Bowman Freeman, Route 2, Box 413A, Pembroke	28372
DOGWOOD — James Hunt, Route 1, Rowland	28383
DUNDARRACH — Warnell Jacobs, Route 2, Red Springs	
ELIZABETH HEIGHTS — Odell Morgan, Route 1, Box 20, Lumberton	28358
GALILEE — Ed Marson Locklear, Route 4, Lumberton	28358
GOSPEL TABERNACLE — James R. Hunt, Route 3, Maxton	28364
GRAY POND — O. H. Harding, Laurinburg	28352
HARPER'S FERRY — Willoughby Jones, Route 1, Rowland	28383
ISLAND GROVE — Willie P. Bryant, Route 3, Maxton	28364
LEITH CREEK — Lacy Locklear, Route 1, Maxton	28364
LOWRY'S CHAPEL — Roscoe Lowry, Route 1, Box 23, Red Springs	
MT. AIRY — R. W. Locklear, Route 1, Pembroke	28372
MT. BETHEL — Percy Richardson, Box 4, Hollister	
MT. ELIM — Lonnie L. Locklear, Route 1, Box 66X, Red Springs	
MT. MORIAH — Woodrow Locklear, Route 3, Lumberton	28358
MT. Olive — Joseph Locklear, Route 3, Lumberton	28358
NEW BETHEL — James D. Bell, Route 3, Clinton	28328
NEW HOPE — Roscoe Jacobs, Route 1, Box 47, Bolton	
OAK GROVE — Smiley Chavis, Route 3, Laurinburg	28352
PEE DEE CHAPEL — James C. Clark, Route 1, Box 215B, Clio, S. C.	29525

PEMBROKE FIRST — Grady Holmes, Box 462, Pembroke 28372  
 PINEY GROVE — Ellis Jones, Route 2, Rowland 28383  
 PLEASANT VIEW — Zollie Davenport, Route 3, Box 182, Fairmont 28340  
 REEDY BRANCH — Grady Chavis, Route 1, Lumberton 28358  
 ST. JAMES — Wesley Spaulding, Route 1, Box 414, Hallsboro 28442  
 SMYRNA — Johnnie Hunt, Route 5, Box 116, Lumberton 28358  
 TABERNACLE — Grover C. Oxendine, Box 31, Pembroke 28372  
 TEN MILE CENTER — F. H. Epps, Route 1, Lumberton 28358  
 THOMPSON — Horace Dial, Route 3, Box 140, Lumberton 28358  
 UNION — Prather Sampson, Route 3, Lumberton 28358  
 ZION HILL — Leander Oxendine, Route 2, Red Springs

## ORDAINED MINISTERS

W. A. Bell ----- Route 1, Rowland  
 David Brewington ----- Route 1, St. Pauls  
 Harvey E. Brewington ----- Route 2, Clinton  
 Tony E. Brewington ----- Pembroke  
 Rufus Burns ----- Route 4, Lumberton  
 Herbert Chavis ----- Shannon  
 Thermon Chavis ----- Laurinburg  
 Alford Cox ----- Route 3, Laurinburg  
 C. M. Cummings ----- Route 1, Rowland  
 Grady Cummings ----- Route 1, Pembroke  
 J. L. Cummings ----- Route 1, Maxton  
 James Dial ----- 25 N Milton Ave., Balt. Md.  
 James D. Dial ----- Route 1, Pembroke  
 Tommy W. Hagans ----- Route 4, Lumberton  
 Chesley Hammonds ----- Pembroke  
 Lawrence P. Hardy ----- Pembroke  
 Grady Hunt ----- Route 5, Lumberton  
 Wilbert Hunt ----- Baltimore, Md.  
 R. B. Jacobs ----- Pembroke  
 Reo Jones ----- Route 4, Lumberton  
 A. A. Lockee ----- Pembroke  
 B. T. Locklear ----- Route 1, Rowland  
 C. E. Locklear ----- Pembroke  
 Davis Locklear ----- Pembroke  
 Garth Locklear ----- Pembroke  
 Glassie Locklear ----- Route 4, Red Springs  
 Isiah Locklear ----- Wakulla  
 M. C. Locklear ----- Route 4, Lumberton  
 Nash Locklear ----- Route 3, Maxton  
 P. C. Locklear ----- Bolton  
 Sanford Locklear ----- Route 1, Pembroke  
 Wade Locklear ----- Red Springs  
 Winford Locklear ----- Route 1, Pembroke

Joseph Lowry	Route 1, Raeford
S. S. Lowry	Pembroke
Welton Lowry	Pembroke
C. W. Maynor	Pembroke
Dawley Maynor	Pembroke
L. A. Maynor	Route 1, Pembroke
King Maynor	Route 4, Lumberton
Roy W. Maynor	Pembroke
Douglas Mitchell	Route 3, Lumberton
Delton Morgan	Route 5, Lumberton
N. R. Morgan	Route 5, Lumberton
Joseph Oxendine	Route 4, Lumberton
Clifford Oxendine	Lambeth St., Lumberton
Vester Oxendine	Route 1, Rowland
Elias Rogers	Red Springs
J. R. Rogers	Route 3, Lumberton
T. M. Swett	Route 1, Rowland
C. S. Warriax	Route 1, Rowland

## LICENTIATES

Lee Ammons	Carson Paul Locklear
William L. Branch	Edmond Locklear
J. H. Brewington	James Locklear
Joseph Brooks	James Wesley Locklear
Joseph Bullard	J. R. Locklear
Grady Carter	Lloyd M. Locklear
James Chavis	Luther Locklear
Thurman Chavis	Maurice Locklear
Ben James Clark	Pearson Locklear
Hartford Cummings	Telford Locklear
Michael Cummings	W. M. Louick
S. V. Emanuel	Britton Maynor
John Russell Freeman	Chesley McNeill
Jay Hammond	Mack Norton
Johnnie Huggins	Carlie Oxendine
David Hunt	Charlie Oxendine
Grover Hunt	Floyd Oxendine
Grady Hunt	Ronnie Revels
Reece Hunt	James Sanderson
Russell Hunt	Purnell Swett
Belford Jacobs	P. R. Swett
Roscoe Jacobs	Roosevelt Thompson
Arthur Locklear	Elwood Tyler
Bradford Locklear	

## MESSENGERS

- ANTIOCH — Winston Carter, Clinton Thomas
- BEAR SWAMP — Proctor Locklear, James E. Chavis, Gus Locklear, Burleigh Oxendine
- BEREA — Mrs. Mary F. Maynor, Marshall Locklear, James Brewington, Mrs. Joanne Ponder
- BETHEL HILL — S. V. Emanuel, Dannie Chavis, Levi Chavis
- BEULAH — Mrs. Viletter Strickland, Mrs. Lucy Oxendine, McKinley Strickland
- BURNT SWAMP — Mrs. A. A. Lockee, Hubert Locklear, W. O. Maynor
- CAPE FEAR — Cornelius Emanuel, Mrs. Sadie M. Emanuel, Mrs. Katherleen Groves
- CEDAR GROVE — Benson Lockley, Cleveland Hammonds
- CHEROKEE CHAPEL — Jim Hammond, Mrs. Missie Strickland, Mrs. Katherine Locklear
- DEEP BRANCH — C. A. Sampson, Williard Sampson, Chesley McNeill, J. B. Scott, Clyde Brewington
- DOGWOOD — W. D. Freeman, Mrs. Ethel Hunt, Mrs. Mozell Hunt
- DUNDARRACH — Calvin Lowry, Mrs. Betty B. Locklear, Mrs. Eva Jacobs
- ELIZABETH HEIGHTS — Odell Morgan, Pete Porter, William M. Canady
- GALILEE —
- GOSPEL TABERNACLE — Casto Locklear, Dan Clark, Lesley Oxendine
- GRAY POND — Coleman Strickland, Daniel Jacobs, O. H. Hardin
- HARPER'S FERRY — Wiley Jones, L. C. Oxendine, Lacy Oxendine, Harvey Wilkins, C. E. Oxendine, Mrs. Eva Strickland, Mrs. Coree Oxendine, Mrs. Annie Chavis, Mrs. Blanche Oxendine
- ISLAND GROVE — Mrs. Vanice Cummings, Robert Collins, Lacy E. Locklear, Zack Chavis
- LEITH CREEK — Mrs. Pattie Diggers
- LOWRY'S CHAPEL —
- MOUNT AIRY — J. B. Locklear, Joseph Locklear, R. W. Locklear, Lonnie Locklear, Mrs. Lailure Locklear, Mrs. Mary E. Carter, Mrs. Annie Locklear
- MOUNT BETHEL — R. J. Mills, Theodore Lynch, Percy Richardson
- MOUNT ELIM — Lonnie B. Locklear, L. B. Jacobs, Joel Dial
- MOUNT MORIAH — M. L. Jacobs, Woodrow Locklear, Lynwood Locklear, Raeford Lowry
- MOUNT OLIVE — Luke Bell, Ambrose Locklear, Sandy Lowry
- NEW BETHEL — James D. Bell, Mrs. Eva L. Simmons, Mrs. Mary E. Jacobs, Mrs. Naomi Brewington

NEW HOPE — Roscoe Jacobs, Mrs. Sarah Jacobs, Mrs. Letha Jacobs, Jimmy Jacobs

NEW POINT — Mrs. Tessie Hunt, Stenson Locklear, Mrs. Annie Mae Locklear, Mrs. Lizzie Locklear, George Oxendine

OAK GROVE — Mrs. Louise Locklear, Mrs. Lucille McKay, Mrs. Elizabeth Reese

PEE DEE CHAPEL — W. D. Geddins, Galloway Hunt, Melvin Locklear, Mrs. Annie Hunt

PEMBROKE FIRST — Billy Maynor, Lindberg Locklear, Grady Holmes

PLEASANT VIEW — Stephen Hunt, Mrs. Alberta Hunt, Daniel Mack Locklear

PINEY GROVE — Kelmer Hunt, Ellis Jones, Wilbert Hunt

REEDY BRANCH — Norman Hammonds, Grady Chavis, Fairly W. Jacobs, Albertus Locklear, W. C. Rogers, Garfield Jacobs

SMYRNA — D. L. Lowry, Johnnie Hunt, Marvin Oxendine, Mrs. Dessie M. Hunt

ST. JAMES—James R. Mitchell, Okey Spaulding, Mrs. Roberta Mitchell

TABERNACLE — Mrs. Effie Jane Oxendine, Mrs. Elsie Hammonds, Mrs. Effie Ann Locklear

TEN MILE CENTER — F. H. Epps, Mrs. Stella Bell, Mrs. Vernie Chavis

THOMPSON — Miss Matis Spaulding, Leamon Cummings, Rudolph Dial

UNION — Jim Strickland, Jim Strickland, Jr.

ZION HILL — Reverend Vester Oxendine

UNION LIGHT — Leon Smiling, M. W. Epps, Mrs. Maggie Smiling

PROCEEDINGS  
of the  
BURNT SWAMP ASSOCIATION  
Held With  
MOUNT MORIAH CHURCH  
October 16, 1969

Thursday Morning Session

1. The Ninety-Second Annual Session of the Burnt Swamp Association convened at Mount Moriah Church, Lumberton, North Carolina, at 10:00 A.M., Thursday, October 16, 1969. The song service was conducted by Mr. Clarence Oxendine of Harper's Ferry Church. The group sang "All Hail the Power".

2. The devotion was conducted by Mr. Woodrow Locklear of Mount Moriah Church. Prayer was offered by Reverend Glassie Locklear.

3. The Moderator recognized the visitors and gave words of welcome.

4. The Clerk gave mimeographed copies of the churches reports and made comments.

5. The chairman of the nominating committee, Mr. Purnell Swett, recommended John L. Carter as the nominee for clerk. By motion, the group elected John L. Carter clerk.

6. The Moderator called for the program.

7. Reverend Jimmy Fox discussed the subject "Go Tell". He warned us about talking without thinking, saying things and not knowing whereof we speak. He said the only way we can keep Jesus for ourselves is to give him away, Go tell others. His message was very inspiring.

8. Gardner-Webb College was represented by Reverend Troy S. Harmon.

9. Mr. Guy S. Cain, representative of the Baptist State Convention, discussed the Annuity Program. He based his message on the Ninth Chapter of First Corinthians, "Woe unto me if I preach not the gospel." If the preacher serves the church, the church should support him.

10. Mr. R. D. Locklear, III discussed the "Youth Speaks". He stated that the older people has failed to help the youth.

11. The group sang "Lift Him Up". The message was brought by Reverend Sim Smith of the Second Baptist Church of Fayetteville, North Carolina.

12. A special song "Others" was sung by Mrs. Joanne Ponder of the Children's Home, who was accompanied by Mr. Charles Ponder at the piano.

13. Reverend Smith spoke on Matthews 28: "Go teach" and "I will go with you." His message was very informative, spiritual, and inspiring.

14. The group sang "Revive Us Again". Prayer was offered by Reverend Chesley Hammonds.

15. The group adjourned for lunch.

#### Thursday Afternoon

16. The Afternoon Session opened with the group singing "When we All Get to Heaven". The Moderator declared the body ready for business and announced the program.

17. Mr. C. W. Bazemore, representative of the State Biblical Recorder, discussed the Biblical Recorder. He said we should get involved.

18. The Children's Home was discussed by Mr. Tommy Swett, of Odum Home, Pembroke, North Carolina. He discussed the activities of the Children's Home.

19. The Baptist Homes were discussed by Mr. Bill Poole, Baptist state representative. He stated that the agency was doing a good work through the help of the churches.

20. Mr. Morris Briggs, Chaplain, Representative of the North Carolina Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, stated that the hospital was crowded at all times. He also stated that the hospital is still expanding in the building program, as well as services. He appealed to the churches to continue to help in this program.

21. The Cooperative Program was discussed by Reverend C. W. Maynor. He explained how the Cooperative Program helps in several channels.

22. A resolution that Mount Moriah be commended for the hospitality and lunch was recommended.

23. The group sang "Blest Be the Tie".

24. The Thursday Session closed with prayer by Reverend Wade Locklear.

Reverend A. A. Lockee  
Moderator

John L. Carter  
Clerk

## BURNT SWAMP BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

## REEDY BRANCH CHURCH

October 17, 1969

## Friday Morning Session

25. The Session opened with the congregation singing "Onward Christian Soldier", with Mr. C. E. Oxendine and Mrs. J. F. Lowry at the piano.

26. The devotion was conducted by Reverend C. W. Maynor. He read Romans 13:11-14 "Walk Honestly" "What time is it?" and offered prayer. The Moderator welcomed the visitors and declared the group ready for business.

27. The clerk read the minutes of the Thursday's session. By motion the minutes were approved.

28. The Moderator announced the program.

29. Reverend Henry Walden, Jr. of the Robeson Baptist Association, discussed the Greater Robeson Crusade. He gave a financial statement of the Greater Robeson Crusade. Also, he discussed how the Crusade has brought a closer relationship between the three Baptist Associations in Robeson County.

30. The W. M. U. Report was brought by Mrs. Hattie Mae Hunt. She reminded us of our responsibility in this world of great need.

31. The report on church state relations was discussed by Miss I. Ruth Martin. She stated that the state and federal government will not encroach us unless we fail to do our duty to help the needy, but if we do not do it then they must take over and do it. We ask them to take control and complain because they do what we want them to. Let's get busy and do our duty and quit complaining.

32. The Brotherhood Report was given by Mr. James B. Locklear. He stated that we should serve not boss. He said that we should be more interested in brotherhood.

33. Mr. Ambrose Chavis, Jr. gave a report on the Training Union Program in the Burnt Swamp Association. He stated that five training unions had been organized in the 1969 Associational year. He also stated that we should get involved.

34. Mrs. Coolidge Cummings sang a solo, "I am Satisfied with Jesus", with Mrs. J. F. Lowry at the piano.

35. The congregation sang "Wonderful Words of Life".

36. Reverend Lanford presented Reverend L. D. Wood of the Home Mission Board of Atlanta, Georgia. Reverend Wood read the Thirteenth Chapter of First Corinthians. He discussed that cooperation not competition is needed. No organization will be destroyed from without, but within. The most insecure demands the most attention and is the biggest braggart. We should give our all.

37. The congregation sang "He Lives". Prayer was offered by James B. Locklear, and the congregation adjourned for lunch.

#### Friday Afternoon Session

38. The congregation sang "We'll Work Till Jesus Comes". Reverend Lanford offered prayer.

39. The Moderator declared the body ready for business. The Advisory Board Report was read by Reverend C. W. Maynor. By motion, the report was approved.

40. Mr. Purnell Swett gave the General Board Report. He discussed the ministry of the General Board of the State Baptist Convention. By motion the report was approved.

41. The Mission Committee Report was given by Reverend Sanford Locklear. He discussed the activities of the Mission Committee, Dundarrach Mission, and Elrod Mission. He stated that West Side Mission needed much work. By motion the report was approved.

42. The Time and Place Committee Report was given by Mr. Roscoe Jacobs. The first day, October 15, 1970, will be at Mount Elim Church, and the second day, October 16, 1970, will be at Union Church.

43. The Finance Report was given by Mr. John E. Cummings. The budget for 1969 was presented and by motion the budget was approved. By motion the By-Laws were changed to give the clerk \$300.00 for his services. A financial report was given by the clerk of financees collected during the session. The report showed \$2,055.00.

44. The Obituary Report was given by Reverend L. A. Maynor. He read the list of Home Goers. After a moment of silent prayer, Reverend Sanford Locklear offered prayer. By motion, the report was approved.

45. The Petition Committee Report was given by Reverend Roy W. Maynor. He presented Union Light Church and offered a motion that Union Light be received under the watch care of the Association until the Annual Session of 1970. Reverend J. R. Rogers is pastor and Mrs. Mattie Richardson is the church clerk.

46. The Constitution and By-Laws and the Committee on Committees Report was given by Mr. Frank H. Epps. By motion the report was approved.

47. The Resolution Committee report was given by Russell W. Locklear. The Committee recommended that the picture of Reverend Z. R. Chavis and the proper memorandum be printed in the 1969 minutes.

48. Mrs. Albert Hammond gave a Registration Committee Report and asked the cooperation of the pastors and others in getting the proper registration.

49. An Association Report of the summer work that he did was given by Reverend Tony E. Brewington. He stated that we were criticizing our young people when we deserved to be criticized. By motion the report was approved.

50. The Nominating Committee's Report and the election of officers were taken up and by motion the following were elected:

Reverend A. A. Lockee, Moderator

F. H. Epps, Vice-Moderator

John L. Carter, Clerk

James H. Hammonds, Treasurer

James H. Brewington, Historian

Purnell Swett, Trustee

Charles Maynor, Trustee

John L. Carter, Trustee

By motion, the report was approved.

51. A vote of thanks to Reedy Branch for the hospitality and lunch was given.

52. An offering was taken for Reverend R. B. Jacobs in the amount of \$38.31.

53. The Ninety-Second Annual Session of the Burnt Swamp Baptist Association closed with the congregation singing "Go Be With You". Prayer was offered by Reverend A. A. Lockee.

Reverend A. A. Lockee, Moderator

John L. Carter, Clerk

### WHAT MISSION MEANS

I. ME Begin with me, not the other fellow. What am I doing for my fellow man? Am I doing something that lets the world know that I am a Christian? If not, should I begin?

II. INTEREST All of us are interested in something. Too often our interests are far removed from mission in action.

III. SOUL WINNING Do we need more proof than that? Soul Winning should be our great concern. God gave us the great commission. "Go ye into all the world and preach My gospel."

IV. STEWARDSHIP Many people feel that stewardship ends with the giving of money. We forget that time and talent must be included in stewardship. All of us do not have the same amount of money or the same talent, but God gave to each of us the same amount of time. Two and four-tenths hours of each day belong to him. How many of us have said, "I do not have the time"?

V. INVOLVEMENT If stewardship is practice, don't you agree that involvement will take care of itself?

VI. OPPORTUNITY Five nations have the opportunity that America has by sharing our resources. Churches can be built and workers can be sent to serve.

Mrs. Hattie Hunt

1968-69

## TRAINING UNION REPORT

What kind of training programs do you have in your church? What methods are you now using or planning to use to improve the quality of leadership in your church? What about the leadership of tomorrow? In short, What goals do you as a Christian have to help you reach your final objective? Think of your church in these terms: Every church is an organism representing Christ. For an organism to function properly it must have organization. Organization necessitates leadership, direction and goals. Out of goals come task, and task lead to action. Action brings about growth and strength, strength to do the will of God as He has ordained.

There are three major divisions of training in our church training program. First, let us look at the division of New Church Member Orientation. Every new member or convert should become involved in this division of training. By getting involved in this area of training, the new member or convert will get a better understanding of what God saved him for. He will learn something of the task of being a BAPTIST IN ACTION. Second, Church Member Training provides on-going training for all church members. It seeks to train all church members to worship, witness, learn and minister daily. Third, Church Leader Training seeks to train leaders for the church and the denomination. It offers leadership training for special projects. As we enter the associational year, 1969-70 the associational officers of the Burnt Swamp Baptist Training Union Department challenge you and your church to get involved in at least one of the divisions of church training that has been mentioned.

Seven churches in the association have organized training programs this year. (1969) Those churches are, as follows: Ten Mile Center, Mt. Olive, Bethel Hill, New Point, Gray Pond, Tabernacle and Cedar Grove. Many of these churches have already been involved in a series of study courses. Others are making plans to conduct study courses in the near future. Some of the members of the stated churches have said that starting a training program in their church has brought about better over-all participation.

"For if the trumpet give an uncertain sound, who shall prepare himself to the battle." (I Cor. 14:8) STOP — LOOK — LISTEN What kind of sound, are we as BELIEVERS, making? STOP, Take time to look around to see just what is going on. LOOK for action, our own action. Do we see any action? LISTEN for the sound, do we hear any sound? Is it saying something CERTAIN OR UNCERTAIN. Let all of us try to be certain that we as Christians know what God wants us to do. Then let us with His help, be certain that we try to do it.

Thanks to all of the associational officers and others who gave their time and talent in making this year, a great year, in our association.

Ambrose L. Chavis

## CHURCH AND STATE RELATIONS

WHY does the federal government feel it has the right to step into the modern church and supervise, if not direct its programs?

BECAUSE we the people demand our government spend \$51½ million on disaster relief, \$1 billion on establishing new businesses, \$92 million on education in foreign countries (Peace Corps), \$7½ million on relief of sick and educating our growth, \$771 million on building new homes, and \$6 million on guaranteeing crop prices.

An average citizen of the United States spends 24 times as much on food as he gives to God. He spends 10 times more on clothes than on God; he spends 28 times more on his house than on God; he spends 13 times more riding around than he gives to God.

Christ commanded that we feed the poor, help fellowman, love our brothers, heal the sick, and preach the gospel through the world. The Christians have sat down, This is the first great sit-down strike. Christians have done nothing. This is the first great boycott. The Christians have rejected responsibility for our brothers.

A popular slogan is "I fight poverty; I work!". Christians, can you say, "I fight government control; I work for Christ"?

I. Ruth Martin  
Professor of Religion  
Pembroke State University

## OUR HOME GOERS

- BEAR SWAMP — Reverend Z. R. Chavis  
BEREA — Gus Howard Locklear  
BETHEL HILL — W. H. Emanuel  
BURNT SWAMP — Mrs. Myrtle Maynor, Oscar Carter  
CHEROKEE CHAPEL — Reedy Green  
DEEP BRANCH — Johnny Oxendine, Miss Juliet Emanuel  
GRAY POND — Reverend John D. Chavis  
HARPER'S FERRY — Deacon Harris Jacobs  
MOUNT AIRY — George W. Locklear, Robert H. Carter, Mrs. Polly Hunt  
MOUNT BETHEL — Mrs. Tempie D. Richardson, Mrs. Lillie H. Greene, Kelis Richardson, J. B. Richardson  
MOUNT ELIM — Mrs. Mary Henderson, Alf Lowry  
MOUNT OLIVE — Mrs. Della Lowry  
NEW BETHEL — Reverend Charles Brewington, H. Ashford Brewington  
NEW HOPE — Dorsey Jacobs, Mrs. Lummie Jacobs  
PEE DEE CHAPEL — Mrs. Geneva Jacobs, Tom Jacobs

PEMBROKE FIRST — Lacy Oxendine, Miss Bertha Morgan  
 REEDY BRANCH — Mrs. Catherine Hunt  
 SAINT JAMES — Vernon Graham, Miss Betty Fooms  
 SMYRNA — Deacon James A. Fields, Mrs. Malinda Hunt  
 TABERNACLE — Make Locklear  
 ZION HILL — Auther Locklear, Mrs. Aletha Chavis

Respectfully submitted by  
 L. A. Maynor, Chairman  
 Obituary Committee

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT GREATER ROBESON BAPTIST CRUSADE

Item	Budget Amount	Amount Paid Out
Publicity -----	\$ 680.00	\$ 608.02
Music -----	325.00	280.00
Crusade Hymn Books -----	400.00	481.51
Travel Expense (speaker & song leader) -----	700.00	700.00
Honorarium for Speaker -----	600.00	600.00
Honorarium for Song Leader -----	431.52	431.52
Speakers (Pastors' Conf. & Prayer Retreat) -----	60.00	60.00
Pre-Crusade Rally -----	100.00	115.00
Mailing (stamps, envelopes, etc.) -----	200.00	84.23
Counselors' Committee -----	300.00	335.47
Chairman's Expense -----	125.00	125.00
Meals and Lodging -----	250.00	258.19
Gift for Chairman -----	100.00	97.85
Miscellaneous -----	300.00	223.82
TOTALS -----	\$4,971.52	\$4,800.61

#### RECEIVED

Lumber River Baptist Association -----	\$ 750.00
Burnt Swamp Baptist Association -----	750.00
Robeson Baptist Association -----	2,014.40
Other (individuals, groups, etc) -----	262.42
Offerings at Crusade -----	1,432.94
For Hymn Books:	

(Received at Crusade ----- 133.93

(Sale of unused ----- 33.00) 166.93

TOTAL RECEIPTS ----- \$5,376.69

TOTAL EXPENDITURES ----- 4,800.61

Balance as of October 8, 1969 ----- \$ 576.08

(on Deposit at Robeson Savings & Loan Assn., Lumberton)

Respectfully submitted,

John E. Cummings

O'Kelly Lawson

Henry E. Walden, Jr.

Reverend Thomas L. Rich, Jr., Chairman of the Committee on Counseling gives the following report on some visible results of the Greater Robeson Baptist Crusade:

Rededication to Christ -----	319
Acceptance of Christ -----	41
Assurance of Salvation -----	11
Commitment to Church-related Vocations -----	4
To be Personal Witnesses -----	76
To Establish Family Altars -----	125
Total Decisions -----	576

### BURNT SWAMP ASSOCIATION FINANCIAL REPORT

October 1, 1969

#### Receipts

Brought forward, November 25, 1968 -----	\$2,769.50
Churches — Burnt Swamp Association -----	4,405.00
Baptist State Convention -----	300.00
North Carolina Farm Bureau -----	21.20
Total -----	\$7,495.70

#### Expenditures

The Robesonian, Inc. Ads -----	\$ 33.60
Lewis Brady Builders Supply — Elrod Mission -----	68.39
Associational Youth Choir — Refreshments -----	11.44
Robeson Office Supply — Printing -----	67.11
Postmaster, Pembroke, N. C. — Bulk Mailing -----	55.00
Secretarial Work — Bulletins -----	180.00
Robeson County Baptist Crusade -----	750.00
Southern Baptist Literature Dept. -----	9.40
B. T. U. Program -----	125.23
The Lumbee — Ads -----	18.00
Brotherhood Expense -----	128.00
Edmond Locklear, Jr. & Company — Programs -----	31.11
Evangelism -----	80.00
Superintendent of Mission -----	900.00
Theo Davis & Sons — Minutes -----	566.00
Baptist Book Store — 1967 Account -----	209.00
Maynor Brothers — 1961 Bill for Dundarrach Mission ---	2,082.90
Total -----	5,315.18
Balance, October 1, 1969 -----	2,180.52
Assembly Fund -----	3,615.30
Total -----	\$5,795.82

James H. Hammonds, Treasurer 10-1-69

## BUDGET FOR BURNT SWAMP

## BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1969-1970

## Education and Promotion

Vacation Bible School -----	\$ 200.00
Sunday School -----	200.00
Training Union -----	500.00
Women's Missionary Union -----	150.00
Music Department -----	100.00
Evangelism Department -----	100.00
Brotherhood Department -----	150.00

## Associational Office

Secretary -----	250.00
Postage -----	50.00
Bonding Fee -----	10.00
Office Supplies -----	200.00
Minutes -----	500.00
Telephone -----	100.00

## Salaries and Allowance

Superintendent of Mission -----	6,000.00
Credit Card for gas ----- (\$50.00 per month)	
Rent for Missionary's Home -----	1,200.00
Superintendent's Trip to Southern Baptist Convention ---	200.00
Superintendent's Trip to State Convention -----	50.00
Superintendent's Retirement -----	200.00
Moderator's Expense to Southern Baptist Convention ----	200.00
Moderator's Expense to State Convention -----	50.00
Moderator's Local Expense -----	300.00
Associational Clerk -----	300.00
Building for Association -----	20,000.00
Total -----	\$31,010.00

## CONSTITUTION OF THE BURNT SWAMP MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

### Article I — Name

The body shall be known as the Burnt Swamp Missionary Baptist Association.

### Article II — Membership

Members of this body shall be messengers by the churches of the association, and all ordained ministers of the gospel who are members of the churches within the Association. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers for the first one hundred or portion thereof and an additional messenger for each additional fifty or major fraction thereof.

### Article III — Purpose or Object

The object of this Association shall be to furnish the Baptist Churches of the Burnt Swamp Baptist Association a medium of co-operation for the propagation of the Gospel of Jesus Christ and for the Advancement of the Redeemer's Kingdom by all methods in accordance with the Word of God, and also to emphasize the responsibilities of its membership in relation to Missions, Benevolences, Education, and to cooperate with our State and Southern Baptist Convention to increase the intelligence and spiritual power of the gospel to promote harmony and fellowship among the churches.

### Article IV — Officers

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational Training Union Director, President of the Brotherhood, Associational Superintendent of W. M. U. and Historian.

Section 2. The Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer and Historian shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations. The Nominating Committee's report shall not preclude nominations from the floor. The Associational Sunday School Superintendent, the Training Union Director, President of the Brotherhood, and the Superintendent of the W. M. U. shall be nominated by the respective organizations which they represent and shall be approved by the Executive Board at its June meeting. The Clerk and Treasurer may be combined at the discretion of the Association.

Section 3. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the body, and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall be Chairman of the Executive Board. He shall serve as ex-

officio member of all committees. No one may serve as Moderator after two successive terms without a lapse of one year.

Section 4. The Vice-Moderator shall preside in the absence of or at the discretion of the Moderator.

Section 5. The Clerk shall keep an accurate record of the Proceedings of the body, mail blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches affiliated with the Association, prepare, publish, and distribute the minutes of the Association as soon as practicable after adjournment. He shall receive annually a compensation for his services as provided for in the By-Laws.

Section 6. The Treasurer shall receive and distribute all funds of the Association subject to its order or the approval of the Executive Council or the Executive Board or both. The Treasurer shall also make a written report to each quarterly session of the Executive Board showing all receipts and expenditures and also a written report showing the complete financial operation at each annual session of the Association.

Section 7. All officers of the Association shall assume their duties at the close of the Association.

#### Article V — Prerogative

The Association may sever connection with any church that becomes heterodox in doctrine or disorderly in practice, or that fails to represent itself by letter or messengers for more than two consecutive annual meetings of the Association without good reason thereof, or that treats with contempt the objects and requirements of the Association.

The Association may also sever connection with any church at the request of said church. The Association may receive other Baptist Churches into its membership upon recommendation of the Committee on Petitions. A majority vote to receive shall be required. The Association shall have no power or right to interfere with the internal affairs of the churches, but will be ready at all times to render assistance to any church requesting help.

#### Article VI — Committees

Section 1. The Executive Board shall be composed of the officers of the Association, the Ordained Ministers and one lay member from each church in the Association; the lay member to be elected by the church and the name of each lay member to be reported to the Clerk of the Association. The member of the General Board to the Baptist State Convention, Moderator and Clerk of the Burnt Swamp Baptist Union, Moderator of the Preachers and Deacons Conference, and the Chairman of the Standing Committees shall also be members of the Executive Board.

Section 2. The Executive Board shall have the authority to fill, for the remainder of the Associational year, all vacancies in the membership occurring between sessions of the Association upon recommendation of the Committee on Committees, and it shall lead the Association in a constructive and aggressive Missionary program at all times.

Section 3. The duties of the Executive Board shall be as follows:

- (1) The Executive Board shall administer and be in general charge of the affairs of the Association between its sessions.
- (2) The Executive Board shall coordinate and correlate as far as possible all Associational activities, and to this end all departments of the Associational work shall give their cooperation.
- (3) The Executive Board shall have authority to appeal to the churches for contributions to carry on the work of the Association.
- (4) The Executive Board shall at its discretion set up an Executive Council. The Executive Board shall define its duties, establish its membership, and set the time and the place of the regular meeting.

Section 4. The Executive Board shall meet quarterly, make a written report to each session of the Association covering the work done under its discretion during the preceding year and containing any recommendations the committee may wish to make.

Section 5. The Association shall have the following standing committees, with their terms of office being from the close of the annual meeting through the following annual meeting. Members of all standing committees shall be elected for a term of three years, with one-third of the membership elected each year, except that the terms of the first group of Committees to be chosen shall be staggered one-third of said committees to serve for a term of one year, one-third of said committees to serve for a term of two years one-third of said committees to serve for a term of three years. Names of all committee members shall be printed in the minutes, together with their terms of office. This rotation does not apply to the Committee on Calendar, whose members serve ex-officio.

- A. To be appointed by the Moderator at the annual meeting, or immediately thereafter. Committee on Committees.
- B. To be nominated by the Committee on Committees and elected by the Association at the annual meeting.
  - (1) Resolutions Committee
  - (2) Finance Committee
  - (3) Missions Committee
  - (4) Nominating Committee
  - (5) Calendar Committee
  - (6) Constitution Committee
  - (7) Membership or Petitions Committee

- (8) Camp Committee
- (9) Program Committee

C. The following Committees shall be appointed by the Moderator at least thirty days prior to the annual meeting to serve during annual meeting.

- (1) Time and Place Committee
- (2) Enrollment Messengers Committee
- (3) Obituary Committee

Section 6. Other temporary committees that may be created by the Association shall be appointed by the Moderator.

### Article VII — Duties of the Churches

It shall be the duty of each church to report to the Association annually, by letter and through messengers. These letters should be in the hands of the Clerk ten (10) days before the meeting, giving the correct statistical information of its work and whatever relates to its general welfare, together with funds to meet the financial plan of the Association as recommended by the Budget Committee of the Association. Statistics of the churches shall be tabulated and printed.

### Article VIII — Duties of Standing Committees

Section 1. The Resolutions Committee, composed of three (3) members, shall draw up and present to the Association, resolutions of appreciation and any other resolution it or the Association may deem wise.

Section 2. The Finance Committee, composed of nine (9) members and the Treasurer, shall study the Association's financial needs for an adequate program, present a budget to the Association for the following year, devise plans for securing the cooperation of the churches in raising funds to meet the budget, and make a written report to the annual meeting.

Section 3. The Missions Committee.

- (1) This committee shall be composed of six (6) members. It shall work with the Associational Missionary in promoting the work in the Association, lead and assist in organizing new churches and in beginning new mission stations.
- (2) If such advice is sought, it shall advise any group seeking to organize a new church. It shall also seek to help any member church desiring assistance with its problems.
- (3) It shall be the duty of this committee to cooperate with the Associational Missionary program, and to supervise the same.
- (4) When without a Missionary, this committee shall seek out and recommend to the Association, or its Executive Board a new Missionary for election.

Section 4. The Nominating Committee, composed of six members, shall contact before and nominate on the last day at the annual meeting

of the Association, the officers of the Association, according to Article IV and XII of the Constitution. This committee's nominations shall not preclude other nominations from the floor.

Section 5. The Calendar Committee. This committee shall be composed of the Heads of the Departments, the Moderator of the Union, the Moderator of the Preachers and Deacons Meeting, with the Moderator of the Association, the Clerk and Associational Missionary serving as ex-officio members. This committee shall prepare an Associational Calendar for the coming year and present same to the Executive Board for adoption. After their approval it shall be presented to the Association at the annual meeting..

Section 6. The Constitution Committee shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to study and recommend changes in the Constitution when they deem it necessary and bring reports to the Executive Board and the Association.

Section 7. The Camp Committee shall be composed of six members, including pastors, laymen, and laywomen. It shall direct the development and use of the property with the advice and consent of the Executive Board or the Association.

Section 8. The Program Committee shall be composed of three members and the Moderator and the Clerk. It shall prepare a printed program for the annual meeting of the Association which shall be sent to all persons on the program and to all pastors at least thirty days before the annual meeting of the Association. It shall, in the opening of the annual meeting of the Association, present the printed program for adoption, and serve through the sessions when adjustments in the order of business becomes necessary.

Section 9. The Committee on Committees, composed of six members shall perform the duties as set forth in the Constitution (Article VI. Section 5.), and shall assist the Executive Board in filling vacancies on all other standing committees occurring between sessions. This committee shall also name the chairman of each committee.

Section 10. The Committee on Place and Time, composed of three members, shall receive or solicit invitations for the place or places of meetings for the next annual meeting of the Association, and shall recommend the place or places.

Section 11. The Committee on Enrollment, composed of six members shall prepare for and register all the messengers and visitors attending the Association.

Section 12. The Obituary Committee shall be composed of three members with one being appointed each year. It shall be the duty of this committee to bring a suitable report at the annual meeting and lead in a memorial service in the memory of those reported by the churches to have died since the last annual meeting.

### Section 13. The Petitions Committee

- (1) This committee shall be composed of three members with one being appointed each year. Any church seeking admission to the membership of the Association shall petition in writing the Executive Board at least six (6) months before the annual meeting of the Association, which petition shall be referred to the Petitions Committee for its study of the petitioning church's covenant, articles of faith, history, practices, cooperative spirit, its relations to other member churches of the Association, and its willingness to abide by the Constitution and By-Laws of the Association. The Petitions Committee shall then report to the Association, at its next annual meeting, its findings and recommendations for Associational action.
- (2) Each church applying for membership in the Association, upon approval shall be received under watch-care of the Association for a period of one year.

### Article IX — Meetings

There shall be one annual meeting of the Association and as many additional meetings as deemed necessary by the Association or the Executive Board. The annual session of the Association shall begin on Thursday before the third Sunday in October, at such place as may be chosen.

### Article X — Amendments

This Constitution may be amended by a two-third vote of the members present at any regular meeting provided notice has been given at a preceeding meeting of the proposed change and the minutes bear a record thereof.

### Article XI — Advisory Board

Section 1. An Advisory Board, composed of five ordained ministers and deacons, shall be appointed annually by the Moderator, whose duty shall be to assist the churches of the Burnt Swamp Association in adjusting their differences. They shall act as an arbitrator.

Section 2. They shall assist the pastors in ordaining preachers and deacons.

Section 3. A minister coming from another denomination must pass satisfactorily an examination along Baptist doctrinal lines before being recommended to his church for ordination.

### Article XII — Trustees and their Election

Section 1. There shall be three trustees of the Association, serving terms of three years each. On nomination by the Committee on Nomi-

nations, one trustee shall be elected at each annual meeting. The expiration date of each trustee's term of office shall appear by his name in the Associational Minutes.

Section 2. Trustees shall serve for a term of three years, except that the terms of the first group of trustees to be chosen shall be staggered, one of said trustees to serve for a term of one year, one of said trustees to serve for a term of two years, and one of said trustees to serve for a term of three years.

Section 3. The duty of the trustees shall be: to hold in trust any property, money, endowment, or other securities of said Association, and they shall handle all legal matters of the Association under the direction of the Association or its Executive Board.

### Article XIII — Superintendent of Missions

Section 1. His selection shall be upon recommendation of the Committee on Missions and on vote by the Association in its annual meeting, or between sessions of the Association, by its Executive Board. He shall be ex-officio of all committees and organizations of the Association in a serving and advisory capacity.

Section 2. The Associational Missionary shall promote the work of the Association and Denomination, cooperating with the churches, their pastors and officers, and the Associational Committees and Organizations.

### General Duties of Associational Missionary

1. His relationship to the organizations of the Association shall be that of Pastor Advisor.

2. He shall offer his services to the churches as needs arise, and work with them upon their invitation.

3. He shall lead in the Primary Missions work of the Association, in cooperation with the Missions Committee.

4. He shall promote the whole program of the Association, the Baptist State Convention, and the Southern Baptist Convention.

5. He shall serve as ex-officio member of the committees of the Association.

6. His work shall be under the direction of the Association.

7. He shall have two weeks annual vacation with pay, plus two weeks of revival time exclusive of his mission work, if desired, with honorarium kept for personal use. All other honoraria shall be given back into the Treasury of the Association.

8. He shall have administrative supervision of such work as assigned him by the Association.

9. The Missionary shall report to the Association through a bulletin mailed at least monthly.

## BY-LAWS

Section 1. Robert's Rules of Order shall be used as a standard for parliamentary procedure for the transaction of all business.

Section 2. A quorum for the transaction of business shall consist of messengers from a majority of the churches.

Section 3. Every person wishing to speak shall rise and address the Moderator, confining himself closely to the subject under discussion, bearing in mind always to observe a spirit of brotherhood and Christian love.

Section 4. Persons addressing the body shall not be interrupted within their allotted time unless out of order, or for the purpose of explanation.

Section 5. No person shall speak more than twice on any given subject without permission from the Association.

Section 6. If anyone shall think that the Moderator has unfairly stated a motion, the person making the motion shall reduce it to writing, and it shall be read by the Clerk before the vote is taken.

Section 7. That the Clerk be allowed \$250.00 per year for his service.

Section 8. These By-Laws may be changed by a two-thirds vote of the body at any session.

## ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Report of Clerk.
2. Election of Clerk.
3. Calling of Petitionary Letters.
4. Appointment of Committees.
5. Report of Treasurer.
6. Reports
7. Reports of Special Committees.
8. Election of Moderator, Vice-Moderator and Treasurer.
9. Miscellaneous Business.
10. Incidentals and routine business shall be in order at any time.
11. Adjournment.

# HISTORICAL TABLE

Date	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1880	Burnt Swamp	Cary Wilkins	J. S. Wilkins	F. Prevatte
1881	Reedy Branch	Cary Wilkins	J. S. Wilkins	Cary Wilkins
1882	Magnolia	Cary Wilkins	J. S. Wilkins	J. W. Blanks
1883	Mt. Pleasant	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	Cary Wilkins
1884	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1885	Mt. Olive	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	Jordan Chavis
1886	Mt. Pleasant	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	J. W. Blanks
1887	Oak Grove	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	Jordan Chavis
1888	Reedy Branch	Gilbert Locklear	E. Sampson	Gilbert Locklear
1889	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1890	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1891	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1892	Magnolia	J. W. Blanks	Joseph Sampson	S. McLeod
1893	Burnt Swamp	J. W. Blanks	Joseph Sampson	A. D. Locklear
1894	Harper's Ferry	Cary Wilkins	A. S. Locklear	Wm. Sampson
1895	Piney Grove	Cary Wilkins	A. S. Locklear	A. D. Locklear
1896	Oak Grove	Cary Wilkins	Joseph Sampson	Gilbert Locklear
1897	Mt. Olive	Cary Wilkins	Joseph Sampson	Gilbert Locklear
1898	Deep Branch	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	None
1899	Burnt Swamp	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	A. D. Locklear
1900	Reedy Branch	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	Jordan Chavis
1901	Harper's Ferry	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	P. P. Locklear
1902	Piney Grove	Wm. Sampson	Joseph Sampson	J. J. Bell
1903	Deep Branch	J. W. Blanks	E. Sampson	Wm. Sampson
1904	Reedy Branch	Wm. Sampson	E. Sampson	A. D. Locklear
1905	Piney Grove	Gilbert Locklear	A. S. Locklear	E. F. Warlax
1906	Oak Grove	Gilbert Locklear	W. G. Hunt	J. E. Hunt
1907	Burnt Swamp	Gilbert Locklear	A. N. Locklear	J. J. Bell
1908	Mt. Olive	J. E. Hunt	A. N. Locklear	J. W. Blanks
1909	Bear Swamp	J. W. Blanks	A. N. Locklear	J. C. Clark
1910	Reedy Branch	J. J. Bell	A. N. Locklear	P. P. Locklear
1911	Harper's Ferry	J. J. Bell	A. N. Locklear	A. T. Taylor
1912	Deep Branch	J. J. Bell	A. N. Locklear	M. L. Brewington
1913	Mt. Olive	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	Z. B. Brooks
1914	Reedy Branch	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	W. G. Hunt
1915	Deep Branch	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	J. J. Bell
1916	Mt. Airy	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	S. S. Lowry
1917	Oak Grove	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	D. P. Locklear
1918	Mt. Olive	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	J. C. Clark
1919	Antioch	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	J. C. Clark
1920	Deep Branch	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	S. J. Chavis
1921	Piney Grove	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	H. E. Coleman
1922	Reedy Branch	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	J. J. Bell
1923	Harper's Ferry	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	S. A. Hammonds
1924	Mt. Airy	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	J. C. Clark
1925	Bear Swamp	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	J. E. Hunt
1926	Mt. Olive	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	S. A. Hammonds
1927	Bethel Hill	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	S. A. Hammonds
1928	Antioch	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	L. W. Jacobs
1929	Bear Swamp	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	J. W. Beagle
1930	Reedy Branch	S. A. Hammonds	A. N. Locklear	L. A. Maynor
1931	Mt. Airy	S. A. Hammonds	A. N. Locklear	None
1932	Mt. Moriah	S. A. Hammonds	A. N. Locklear	C. E. Locklear
1933	Piney Grove	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	S. A. Hammonds
1934	Ten Mile Centre	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	L. W. Jacobs
1935	Harper's Ferry	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	G. J. Chavis
1936	Bear Swamp	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	C. H. Maynor
1937	Deep Branch	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	Dawley Maynor
1938	Mt. Olive	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	L. W. Jacobs
1939	Harper's Ferry	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	C. E. Locklear
1940	Mt. Airy	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	S. A. Hammonds
1941	Berea	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	Roy Maynor
1942	Bear Swamp			
	Bethel Hill	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	G. J. Chavis
1943	Mt. Airy			
	Reedy Branch	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	T. M. Swett
1944	Pembroke First			
	Gray Pond	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Percell Locklear
1945	Piney Grove			
	Berea	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Ernest Gregg
1946	Oak Grove			
	Mt. Moriah	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Dawley Maynor
1947	Pleasant View			
	Bear Swamp	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Harvie Brewington
1948	Mt. Olive			
	Deep Branch	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	W. Earl Robinson

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Date	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1949	Harper's Ferry			
	Cedar Grove -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	L. W. Jacobs
1950	Mt. Elim			
	Mt. Airy -----	C. E. Locklear -----	J. L. Carter -----	J. E. Hammonds
1951	Pembroke First			
	Reedy Branch -----	C. E. Locklear -----	J. L. Carter -----	W. W. Black
1952	Pembroke Camp			
	Piney Grove -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	M. A. Huggins
1953	Harper's Ferry			
	Bear Swamp -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	Arch McMillan
1954	Reedy Branch			
	Union -----	Roy Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	P. M. Dorr
1955	Mt. Airy			
	New Bethel -----	Roy Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	A. P. Stephens
1956	Harper's Ferry			
	Piney Grove -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	D. J. Long
1957	Mt. Elim			
	New Hope -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	C. E. Locklear
1958	Pembroke First			
	Reedy Branch -----	C. E. Locklear -----	J. L. Carter -----	Clyde B. Simpson
1959	Mt. Moriah			
	Bear Swamp -----	C. E. Locklear -----	J. L. Carter -----	W. R. Wagoner
1960	Island Grove			
	Deep Branch -----	Roy Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	D. M. Branch
1961	Smyrna			
	Pleasant View -----	Roy W. Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	
1962	Mt. Airy			
	Berea -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	W. R. Griggs
1963	Harper's Ferry			
	New Hope -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	L. P. Hardy
1964	Berea			
	New Point -----	English Jones -----	J. L. Carter -----	C. W. Maynor
1965	Mount Olive			
	Bear Swamp -----	English Jones -----	J. L. Carter -----	Ben F. Broadway
1966	Reedy Branch			
	Mt. Airy -----	C. W. Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	English Jones
1967	Harper's Ferry			
	Piney Grove -----	C. W. Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	C. M. Cummings
1968	Deep Branch			
	Pleasant View -----	A. A. Lockee -----	J. L. Carter -----	Hoyle Langford
1969	Mt. Moriah			
	Reedy Branch -----	A. A. Lockee -----	J. L. Carter -----	Sim Smith

# Pastors

## TABLE A

Church	Pastor's Name and Address
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ANTIOCH —

BEAR SWAMP — T. M. Swett, Rt. 1, Rowland. 28380

BEREA — Jimmy L. Fox, P. O. Box 835, Pembroke, 28372

BETHEL HILL — Grady Hunt, Rt. 5, Lumberton 28358

BEULAH — Lawrence A. Maynor, Rt. 1, Pembroke 28372

BURNT SWAMP — A. A. Lockee, P. O. Box 595, Pembroke, 28372

CAPE FEAR — Grady Cummings, Rt. 1, Pembroke, 28372

CEDAR GROVE — King Maynor, Rt. 4, Lumberton 28358

CHEROKEE CHAPEL — Rufus Burns, Rt. 4, Lumberton 28358

DEEP BRANCH — T. M. Swett, Rt. 1, Rowland 28383

DOGWOOD — L. A. Maynor, Rt. 1, Pembroke, 28372

DUNDARRACH — Chester McNeill, Rt. 3, Box 316, Lumberton 28358

ELIZABETH HEIGHTS — N. R. Morgan, Rt. 5, Box 133A, Lumberton

CALILEE — Isiah Locklear, Wakulla, N. C.

GOSPEL TABERNA — Wade Locklear, Rt. 4, Red Springs

GRAY POND — Glassie Locklear, Rt. 4, Red Springs

HARPER'S FERRY — Harvey E. Brewington, Rt. 2, Clinton

ISLAND GROVE — C. M. Cummings, Rt. 3, Box 41, Maxton 28364

LEITH CREEK — James D. Dial, Rt. 1, Box 349, Pembroke 28372

LOWRY'S CHAPEL — Joseph Lowry, Rt. 1, Box 252, Raeford 28376

MOUNT AIRY —

MOUNT BETHEL — C. H. Richardson, Box 456, Nashville, N. C. 27856

MOUNT ELIM — King Maynor, Rt. 4, Lumberton 28358

MOUNT MORIAH — Glassie Locklear, Rt. 4, Box 247, Red Springs

MOUNT OLIVE — C. S. Warriax, Rt. 1, Box 253, Rowland 28383

NEW BETHEL — D. R. Brewington, 106 S'wood Rd., Jacksonville, N. C.

NEW HOPE — C. E. Locklear, Pembroke 28372

NEW POINT — Sanford Locklear, Rt. 1, Pembroke 28372

OAK GROVE — R. W. Maynor, Pembroke 28372

PEE DEE CHAPEL — Chesley Hammond, Rt. 1, Rowland

PEMBROKE FIRST — Tony Brewington, P. O. Box 341, Pembroke

PINEY GROVE — Roy W. Maynor, Pembroke 28372

PLEASANT VIEW — Vestor Oxendine, Rt. 1, Rowland 28383

REEDY BRANCH — C. W. Maynor, Rt. 1, Pembroke 28372

SAINT JAMES — Winfred Locklear, Rt. 1, Pembroke 28372

SMYRNA — Wade Locklear, Rt. 4, Red Springs

SOUTH HOKE — Isiah Locklear, Wakulla, N. C.

TABERNACLE — Nash Locklear, Rt. 3, Maxton 28364

TEN MILE CENTER — James Dial, Pembroke 28372

THOMPSON — Nash Locklear, Rt. 3, Box 203, Maxton 28364

UNION — Wade Locklear, Red Springs

ZION HILL — Vester Oxendine, Rt. 1, Rowland

## CHURCH

CHURCH	Year organized as a church	Location (1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10)	No. Services held twice a month		held on:					No. local missions started during past year	No. local missions currently operating	Fellowship groups started	Fellowship groups currently operating	No. Revivals held	Total Baptisms	Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	Present resident members	Present nonresident members	Grand total present members	No. members received from non-Baptist denom.	No. members lost to non-Baptist denominations	Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	Value of church property incl. pastor's home	Total church debt at end of this assoc. year
			1st Sunday	2nd Sunday	3rd Sunday	4th Sunday	5th Sunday																		
Antioch	1901	1	N												4			40	3	43				40,000	
Bear Swamp	1882	1	N											2	4			402		402				40,000	
Berea	1926	3	Y											5	5	10	2	248	40	288	2		14,000	15,000	2,000
Bethel Hill	1917	1	N											1	1		1	57	35	92				35,000	
Beulah	1939	1	N												1			36	20	56				35,000	
Burnt Swamp	1880	1	Y											1	1	2	2	67	3	70				7,500	700
Cape Fear	1922	0	N											2	2	3		60	26	60	1			50,000	
Cedar Grove	1930	3	N											2	4	2		32	25	57	2			7,500	
Cherokee Chapel	1943	3	N											2	6			202	18	198				50,000	
Deep Branch	1882	1	N												3			54	13	54				7,000	300
Dogwood	1951	1	N											1	3	4		5	47	52		2		20,000	
Dundarrach	1960	1	N											3	11			73	73	13				15,000	
Elizabeth Heights	1951	4	N											15	4	5	1	88	5	93				15,000	
Galilee	1951	1	N											4	4	3	3	387	65	452	1			22,000	
Gospel Tabernacle	1955	1	N											2	7	1		140	4	144	1			49,500	
Gray Pond	1888	1	N											7	10			21	4	25				42,000	
Harper's Ferry	1954	1	Y											1	12			50	67	382				15,000	
Island Grove	1949	1	N											2	10		3	318	100	399	1			100,000	
Leith Creek	1956	1	N											7	13	6	4	299	100	399				40,000	
Lowry's Chapel	1915	1	N											2	43			107	20	87				38,000	
Mount Airy	1958	1	N											5	3	6		56	134	134				10,000	
Mount Bethel	1958	1	N											1	3		2	55	17	237	1			23,000	
Mount Elm	1924	1	N											1	3	3	2	220	27	188				72,000	
Mount Moriah	1892	1	N											2	9			161	27	188				10,000	
Mount Olive	1886	1	N											2	2			100	2	102	1			23,000	
New Bethel	1910	1	N											2	2			52	2	54				72,000	
New Hope	1945	1	N											21	4	2		52	2	102					
New Point	1947	1	N											1	2	2		15	12	27				7,000	
Oak Grove	1886	1	N											1	3	5	2	126	50	126				50,000	
Pee Dee Chapel	1891	1	N											1	6	2		82	5	132				25,000	
Pembroke First	1895	3	Y											2	6	2		125	5	130				35,000	6,500
Piney Grove	1880	1	N											2	7	5		266	7	273				85,000	5,000
Pleasant View	1901	1	N											2	4		2	133	20	153				55,000	
Reedy Branch	1881	1	N											4	16	5	7	167	10	177				37,000	
Saint James	1902	1	N											27	3			62	4	62				25,000	
Smyrna	1888	1	N											1	7		1	92	4	96				3,500	
Tabernacle	1954	1	N											2	3			72	2	74					
South Hope	1924	1	N											1	9		2	36	3	39					
Ten Mile Center	1965	1	N											2	15			217		217					
Thompson Union	1927	1	N											2	2			35		52					
Zion Hill			N											2	1		1								

NOTE — N = No. — Y = Yes

# **Sunday School Superintendents**

## **TABLE B**

<b>Church</b>	<b>Sunday School Superintendent's Name and Address</b>
ANTIOCH	— Mitchell Carter, 2904 Olive, Dr., Lumberton 28358
BEAR SWAMP	— A. C. Lowry, Pembroke 28372
BEREA	— Benny R. Sampson, Pembroke 28372
BETHEL HILL	— Lee Edwin Hammonds, Rt. 3, Lumberton 28358
BEULAH	— Junior Archie Deese, Rt. 1, Rowland 28383
BURNT SWAMP	— Charles Maynor, Rt. 4, Box 343A, Lumberton
CAPE FEAR	— Grover Gibbs, 115 Lock Trail St., Fayetteville
CEDAR GROVE	— Ray Chavis, Rt. 3, Box 469, Fairmont 28340
CHEROKEE CHAPEL	— T. W. Stewart, Rt. 1, Box 451, Chadbourn
DEEP BRANCH	— Luther E. Dimery, Rt. 1, Box 61, Pembroke 28372
DOGWOOD	— James A. Hunt, Rt. 1, Rowland 28383
DUNDARRACH	— Proctor Locklear, Jr., Rt. 4, Box 727, Fayetteville
ELIZABETH HEIGHTS	— E. Locklear, 303 S. Chestnut Ext., Lumberton
GALILEE	— Claude Locklear, Rt. 1, Box 54, Shannon
GOSPEL TABERNACLE	— David Locklear, Rt. 1, Rowland 28383
GRAY POND	— John L. Chavis, Laurinburg, 28352
HARPER'S FERRY	— Delton R. Locklear, Rt. 1, Pembroke 28372
ISLAND GROVE	— William C. Chavis, Rt. 1, Box 175, Pembroke 28372
LEITH CREEK	— Carl Locklear, Rt. 1, Maxton 28364
LOWRY'S CHAPEL	— Kenneth Oxendine, Rt. 1, Box 252, Raeford
MOUNT AIRY	— John L. Carter, Rt. 1, Box 266, Pembroke 28372
MOUNT BETHEL	— H. J. Richardson, Rt. 2, Box 153, Macon, N. C.
MOUNT ELIM	— Clifton Dial, Rt. 4, Box 283½, Red Springs
MOUNT MORIAH	— Woodrow Locklear, Rt. 1, Box 475, Lumberton
MOUNT OLIVE	— Joseph Locklear, Rt. 3, Lumberton 28358
NEW BETHEL	— Clifton Simmons, Rt. 2, Clinton, N. C.
NEW HOPE	— Roscoe Jacobs, Rt. 1, Bolton, N. C., 28423
NEW POINT	— Gavin Jacobs, Box 283, Hope Mills, N. C.
OAK GROVE	— Jesse Mumford, McColl, S. C.
PEE DEE CHAPEL	— James C. Clark, Rt. 1, Box 215B, Clio, S. C.
PEMBROKE FIRST	— Elmer W. Hunt, P. O. Box 717, Pembroke 28372
PNIEY GROVE	— J. W. Hunt, Rt. 1, Fairmont, 28340
PLEASANT VIEW	— Odell Hunt, Rt. 1, Box 598, Fairmont 28340
REEDY BRANCH	— Joseph Brooks, Rt. 3, Fairmont, 28340
SAINT JAMES	— Homer L. Spaulding, Rt. 1, Box 418, Hallsboro, N. C.
SMYRNA	— Willard Hagan, Rt. 5, Box 198, Lumberton, 28358
SOUTH HOKE	— Louis Oxendine, Rt. 1, Raeford
TABERNACLE	— James Chavis, Rt. 4, Lumberton, 28358
TEN MILE CENTER	— F. H. Epps, Rt. 1, Lumberton, 28358
THOMPSON	— Ervin Hamonds, Rt. 5, Box 417, Lumberton, 28358
THION	— Hosbie Lee Locklear, Rt. 1, Lumberton, 28358
ZION HILL	— J. W. Locklear, Rt. 1, Shannon



## Training Union Directors

TABLE C

Church	Training Union Director's Name and Address
ANTIOCH —	
BEAR SWAMP —	A. C. Lowry, Pembroke 28372
BEREA —	Earl B. Simpson, Rt. 1, Pembroke, 28372
BETHEL HILL —	Cecil Hunt, 107 Hayes St., Lumberton, 28358
BEULAH —	
BURNT SWAMP —	
CAPE FEAR —	Leonard Gibbs, 117 Indian Dr., Fayetteville, N. C.
CEDAR GROVE —	Miss Doris Locklear, Rt. 2, Box 400, Fairmont
CHEROKEE CHAPEL —	
DEEP BRANCH —	Hoover Lloyd, P. O., Pembroke, 28372
DOGWOOD —	
DUNDARRACH —	
ELIZABETH HEIGHTS —	
GALILEE —	
GOSPEL TABERNACLE —	
GRAY POND —	Fred Harding, P. O. Box 301, Pembroke 28372
HARPER'S FERRY —	Anderson Jones, Rt. 1, Pembroke, 28372
ISLAND GROVE —	Lacy E. Locklear, P. O. Box 21, Pembroke, 28372
LEITH CREEK —	
LOWRY'S CHAPEL —	
MOUNT AIRY —	Roy Lacy Cummings, Rt. 1, Pembroke, 28372
MOUNT BETHEL —	
MOUNT ELIM —	
MOUNT MORIAH —	
MOUNT OLIVE —	Wilbur S. Locklear, Rt. 1, Maxton, 28364
NEW BETHEL —	
NEW HOPE —	Mrs. Perlle Jacobs, Rt. 1, Bolton, N. C., 28423
NEW POINT —	
OAK GROVE —	
PEE DEE CHAPEL —	
PEMBROKE FIRST —	Tony E. Brewington, P. O. Box 341, Pembroke
PINEY GROVE —	James Sampson, Jr., Rt. 2, Rowland, 28383
PLEASANT VIEW —	Vinson Hunt, Rt. 1, Box 598, Fairmont, 28340
REEDY BRANCH —	Norman Hammond, Rt. 1, Rowland, 28383
SAINT JAMES —	
SMYRNA —	Delton Mortan, Rt. 5, Box 136, Lumberton, 28358
SOUTH HOKE —	
TABERNACLE —	
TEN MILE CENTER —	Jimmy E. Hammonds, Rt. 3, Lumberton, 28358
THOMPSON —	
UNION —	Stenson Sampson, Rt. 1, Box 179, Pembroke, 28372
ZION HILL —	

## CHURCHES

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# Woman's Missionary Union Directors

## TABLE F

Church                      Woman's Missionary Union Director's Name and Address

ANTIOCH —

BEAR SWAMP —

BEREA — Mrs. Mary M. Bell, P. O. Box 387, Pembroke, 28372

BETHEL HILL —

BEULAH — Mrs. Viletter Strickland, Rt. 1, Rowland 28383

BURNT SWAMP — Mrs. A. A. Lockee, P. O. Box 595, Pembroke 28372

CAPE FEAR — Mrs. Audie M. Hunt, 1790 Railroad St. Fayetteville

CEDAR GROVE —

CHEROKEE CHAPEL —

DEEP BRANCH — Lilly Mae Brewington, Rt. 4, Lumberton 28358

DOGWOOD —

DUNDARRACH —

ELIZABETH HEIGHTS — Mrs. Rosie L. Jacobs, Rt. 1, Lumberton

GALILEE —

GOSPEL TABERNACLE —

GRAY POND —

HARPER'S FERRY — Mrs. Ether Lee Locklear, Rt. 1, Pembroke 28372

ISLAND GROVE —

LEITH CREEK —

LOWRY'S CHAPEL —

MOUNT AIRY — Lailure Locklear, Rt. 1, Pembroke 28372

MOUNT BETHEL — Mrs. Annie L. Lynch, Rt. 1, Box 254, Hollister

MOUNT ELIM — Ruth Jones, Rt. 1, Red Springs

MOUNT MORIAH — Mrs. Bossie Henderson, Rt. 1, Box 324, Lumberton

MOUNT OLIVE —

NEW BETHEL —

NEW HOPE —

NEW POINT —

OAK GROVE —

PEE DEE CHAPEL —

PEMBROKE FIRST — Mrs. D. Oxendine, P. O. Box 905, Pembroke

PINEY GROVE — Mrs. Patricia Hunt, 201 McKenzie St., Fairmont

PLEASANT VIEW — Christine Taylor, Rt. 3, Fairmont 28340

REEDY BRANCH — Mrs. Neomia Hunt Fairmont 28340

SAINT JAMES —

SMYRNA — Eunice Locklear, Rt. 5, Box 173, Lumberton 28358

SOUTH HOKE —

TABERNACLE —

TEN MILE CENTER — Mrs. Josephine Lucente, Rt. 3, Lumberton

THOMPSON —

UNION — Mrs. Bonnie Strickland, Rt. 1, Lumberton 28358

ZION HILL — Mrs. Annie Pearl Strickland, Pembroke 28372

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# Church Treasurers

## TABLE G

Church	Church Treasurer's Name and Address
ANTIOCH	— Clinton Thomas, Rt. 1, Box 481, Lumberton 28358
BEAR SWAMP	— Newman Oxendine, Rt. 4, Lumberton 28358
BEREA	— William X. Oxendine, P. O. Box 316, Pembroke, 28372
BETHEL HILL	— James H. Hammonds, Rt. 3, Box 309, Lumberton
BEULAH	— Mrs. Berlene Clark, Rt. 1, Box 37, Rowland
BURNT SWAMP	— Billy R. Maynor, Rt. 4, Box 363A, Lumberton
CAPE FEAR	— B. F. Maynor, 430 N. Plymouth St., Fayetteville
CEDAR GROVE	— Mrs. J'phine L. Strickland, P. O. Box 312, Fairmont
CHEROKEE CHAPEL	— T W. Stewart, Rt. 1, Box 451, Chadbourn
DEEP BRANCH	— C. A. Sampson, Rt. 4, Lumberton 28358
DOGWOOD	— Mrs. Mozel Hunt, Rt. 1, Rowland 28383
DUNDARRACH	— Peter Dial, Rt. 1, Red Springs
ELIZABETH HEIGHTS	— Alfred Tyler, Rt. 5, Lumberton 28358
GOSPEL TABERNACLE	— Mrs. Rosie Mae Dial, Rt. 1, Box 39, Maxton
GALILEE	— Delphia Locklear, Rt. 4, Box 202, Red Springs
GRAY POND	— Mrs. Armila Clark, Rt. 3, Box 311, Laurinburg
HARPER'S FERRY	— John Earl Cummings Rt. 1, Rowland 28383
ISLAND GROVE	— William C. Chavis, Rt. 1, Box 175, Pembroke
LEITH CREEK	— Doir Locklear, Rt. 1, Maxton 28364
LOWRY'S CHAPEL	— Mrs. Sara M. Brewer, Rt. 1, Raeford 28376
MOUNT AIRY	— John L. Carter, Rt. 1, Box 266, Pembroke 28372
MOUNT BETHEL	— Fletcher Lynch, Rt. 1, Box 254, Hollister, N. C.
MOUNT ELIM	— Freeman Locklear, Rt. 1, Red Springs
MOUNT MORIAH	— M. L. Jacobs, Rt. 2, Box 665, Lumberton 28358
MOUNT OLIVE	— Tessie Lee Hunt, 312 E. 15th St. Lumberton 28358
NEW BEHEL	— Rommie G. Simmons, Rt. 1, Clinton, N. C. 28328
NEW HOPE	— Mrs. Rena Jacobs, Rt. 1, Bolton, N. C.
NEW POINT	— Kevin Morgan, Rt. 2, Lumberton 28358
OAK GROVE	— Kayola Clark and Mae Locklear, Rt. 3, Laurinburg
PEE DEE CHAPEL	— Macie Clark, Rt. 1, Box 215B, Clio, S. C.
PEMBROKE FIRST	— Billy Maynor, Rt. 1, Box 174, Pembroke 28372
PINEY GROVE	— Kelmer Hunt, Rt. 3, Fairmont 28340
PLEASANT VIEW	— Vinson Hunt, Rt. 1, Box 598, Fairmont 28340
REEDY BRANCH	— Oscar Chavis, Rt. 4, Lumberton 28358
SAINT JAMES	— James R. Mitchell, Rt. 1, Box 412 Hallsboro, N. C.
SMYRNA	— Clearnce Hammond, Rt. 4, Box 145, Lumberton 28358
SOUTH HOKE	— Mrs. Maggie Hunt, Rt. 1, Raeford
TABERNACLE	— Grover C. Oxendine, P. O. Box 65, Pembroke 28372
TEN MILE CENTER	— Mrs. H. C. Revels, Rt. 3, Lumberton 28358
THOMPSON	— Mrs. Mable S. Dial, Rt. 3, Box 129, Lumberton 28358
UNION	— Arnold Strickland, Rt. 1, Lumberton 28358
ZION HILL	— Fred McMillan, Rt. 3, Lumberton 28358

## CHURCHES

CHURCHES	Number of tithees	Budget prom. or emphasis used					Cooperative prog goal as percent of total budget	Assoc. missions goal as percent of total budget	Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts other than money	All other receipts	Total receipts	Pastor's Salary (actually spent)	Other churches staff salaries	Local mission expenditures	Money paid out on new construction past year	Debt retirement	All other expenditures	Total local expenditures
		None	Forward program	Family stewardship	Growth in Christian stewardship	Other												
Antioch	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10,327	300	120	948	130	—	717	1,267
Bear Swamp	20	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	10,327	—	18,921	1,000	600	948	8,397	—	3,744	2,548
Berea	51	X	—	—	—	—	2	2	5,209	—	5,209	4,586	1,022	948	2,450	—	384	17,743
Bethel Hill	2	—	—	—	—	—	35	35	3,145	5,000	8,145	600	493	—	5,000	—	875	543
Beulah	10	—	—	—	—	—	X	X	4,838	—	4,838	1,200	125	—	7,900	1,300	687	7,900
Burnt Swamp	9	—	—	—	—	—	X	X	5,258	—	4,829	1,200	—	—	700	750	875	2,587
Cape Fear	—	X	—	—	—	—	24	25	2,200	—	5,253	4,829	—	—	625	—	285	6,204
Cedar Grove	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,700	—	2,700	650	—	279	—	—	1,400	2,250
Cherokee Chapel	20	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,700	—	2,700	600	300	50	—	—	678	3,068
Deep Branch	6	X	—	—	—	—	20	5	7,641	—	7,641	800	300	42	1,982	—	852	3,984
Dogwood	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	480	—	42	850	—	400	1,772
Dundarrach	1	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,010	3,010	600	144	—	399	—	1,288	2,431
Elizabeth Heights	17	X	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	3,455	600	—	—	—	—	—	46
Galilee	14	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,455	2,450	—	1,025	2,859	429	—	6,768
Gospel Tabernacle	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	450	—	—	—	440	—	890
Gray Pond	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	16,108	—	16,108	2,539	600	—	2,500	—	3,713	9,352
Harper's Ferry	10	—	—	—	—	—	10	15	15,468	10	15,478	3,575	—	8,188	700	—	—	12,463
Island Grove	10	X	—	—	—	—	5	5	1,100	—	1,100	600	20	80	300	—	—	1,000
Leith Creek	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,200	—	—	—	—	40	1,240
Lowry's Chapel	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	14,657	—	14,657	3,433	660	—	—	4,240	6,564	14,238
Mount Airy	5	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	13,533	—	13,533	960	240	—	10,287	—	305	11,787
Mount Elm	5	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	600	—	600	200	—	—	—	—	395	1,195
Mount Moriah	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5,854	—	5,854	1,200	1,318	200	1,925	—	300	3,943
Mount Bethel	10	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,500	—	4,500	1,000	150	50	676	—	2,548	4,424
Mount Olive	5	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	8,500	—	8,500	1,250	580	176	1,851	—	2,277	8,433
New Bethel	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	10	9,671	X	9,671	2,400	380	—	4,241	2,036	1,412	2,845
New Hope	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,568	—	4,568	900	216	—	766	—	263	1,929
New Point	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	847	—	847	600	—	—	96	—	723	845
Oak Grove	4	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	617	—	617	600	320	27	233	—	—	733
Pee Dee Chapel	10	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	7,804	—	7,804	3,120	360	—	—	—	2,312	5,985
Pembroke First	15	X	—	—	—	—	5	—	7,804	—	7,804	3,120	360	—	—	—	2,312	5,985
Piney Grove	15	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,531	360	—	—	709	2,600	
Pleasant View	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11,726	—	11,726	1,845	300	54	9,366	—	2,125	13,780
Reedy Branch	10	—	X	—	—	—	1	1	12,992	—	12,992	2,400	767	100	8,700	—	3,417	15,287
Saint James	50	X	—	—	—	—	5	2	6,000	—	6,000	2,400	767	100	—	—	500	1,660
Smyrna	12	X	—	—	—	—	6	6	—	—	—	1,231	—	—	1,505	—	2,619	5,354
South Hoke	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tabernacle	2	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	440	—	—	—	—	1,645	2,085
Ten Mile Center	6	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	9,543	—	9,543	575	—	—	—	—	1,935	11,033
Thompson	2	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,282	—	1,282	300	360	—	—	—	694	994
Union	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,600	—	400	970	—	221	5,050
Zion Hill	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,230	1,880	4,160	1,800	—	400	3,004	—	600	5,505

## CHURCHES

## Church Clerk's Name and Address

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# **Chairman Of Deacons**

## **TABLE I**

<b>Church</b>	<b>Chairman of Deacons' Name and Address</b>
ANTIOCH —	
BEAR SWAMP —	Clennie Maynor, Rt. 1, Pembroke 28372
BEREA —	Sanford Sampson, Lumberton Hwy., Pembroke 28372
BETHEL HILL —	S. V. Emanuel, Rt. 1, Shannon
BEULAH —	McKinley Strickland, Rt. 1, Rowland 28383
BURNT SWAMP —	W. O. Maynor, P. O. Box 397, Pembroke 28372
CAPE FEAR —	James Groves, 215 Eleanor Ave., Fayetteville
CEDAR GROVE —	
CHEROKEE CHAPEL —	C. H. Hammonds, Rt. 1, Chadbourn 28431
DEEP BRANCH —	Bowman Freeman, Rt. 2, Box 413A, Pembroke
DOGWOOD —	James Hunt, Rt. 1, Rowland 28383
DUNDARRACH —	
ELIZABETH HEIGHTS	Edward Locklear, 303 S. Chestnut Ext., Lum'ton
GALILEE —	Claudie Locklear, Rt. 1, Box 54, Shannon
GOSPEL TABERNACLE —	David Locklear, Rt. 1, Rowland 28383
GRAY POND —	
HARPER'S FERRY —	Dr. English E. Jones, Pembroke 28372
ISLAND GROVE —	Willard Strickland, Rt. 1, Pembroke 28372
LEITH CREEK —	A. D. Driggers, Rt. 1, Maxton 28364
LOWRY'S CHAPEL —	Roscoe Lowery, Rt. 1, Box 237, Raeford 28376
MOUNT AIRY —	Herbert Locklear, Rt. 1, Box 251, Pembroke 28372
MOUNT BETHEL —	Percy Richardson, P. O. Box 4, Hollister, N. C.
MOUNT ELIM —	Bruce Oxendine, Rt. 1, Rowland 28383
MOUNT MORIAH —	G. H. Locklear, Rt. 1, Box 475, Lumberton 28358
MOUNT OLIVE —	Stinson Revels, Rt. 3, Lumberton 28358
NEW BETHEL —	Clifton I. Simmons, Clinton, N. C. 28328
NEW HOPE —	
NEW POINT —	Earlie Hunt, Rt. 2, Box 296, Lumberton 28358
OAK GROVE —	Smiley Chavis, Rt. 3, Laurinburg 28352
PEE DEE CHAPEL —	James C. Clark, Rt. 1, Box 215B, Clio, S. C.
PEMBROKE FIRST —	Grady Holmes, Pembroke 28372
PINEY GROVE —	W. O. Hammonds, Pembroke 28372
PLEASANT VIEW —	Dock Smith, Rt. 2, Fairmont 28340
REEDY BRANCH —	Grady Chavis, Rt. 4, Lumberton 28358
SAINT JAMES —	June B. Webb, Rt. 1, Box 413, Hallsboro, N. C.
SMYRNA —	Clarence Hammond, Rt. 5, Box 145, Lumberton 28358
SOUTH HOKE —	
TABERNACLE —	James Chavis, Rt. 4, Lumberton 28358
TEN MILE CENTER —	F. H. Epps, Rt. 1, Lumberton 28358
THOMPSON —	Rudolph Dial, Rt. 3, Box 129, Lumberton 28358
UNION —	Carlie Jacobs, Rt. 4, Lumberton 28358
ZION HILL —	Leander Oxendine, Rt. 2, Red Springs

CHURCHES	Does church participate in annuity for pastor? Yes or No	Your Pastor and Social Security				Committees Existing During Past Year										Does Church Have or Observe?												
		Not in Social Security	IN SOC. SEC THROUGH	His ch. and sec. employ.	His church employ. only	His secular employ. only	No. ordained for gospel ministry during year	No. licensed for gospel ministry during year	Pastor's annual salary	Recreation	Stewardship	Christian Life	History	Missions	Public Relations	Christian Education	Kindergarten	Ch. Music Council	Youth Week	State paper in budget	Ch. Council Cabinet	Library	Television ministry	Radio ministry	Bapt. Col. and Sem. Day	Bapt. Men's Day	Filmstrip projector	Motion picture projector
Antioch	N	—	—	—	—	X	2	1	300	—	X	—	—	—	—	X	X	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	X	—
Bear Swamp	N	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,000	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	X	X	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	X	—
Berea	N	—	X	—	X	—	—	1	5,200	X	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bethel Hill	N	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	600	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Beulah	N	—	—	—	—	X	—	—	600	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Burnt Swamp	N	—	—	—	X	X	—	—	1,200	—	X	—	—	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	X	—
Cape Fear	N	—	—	—	—	X	—	—	425	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cedar Grove	N	—	—	—	—	X	—	—	600	X	X	—	X	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cherokee Chapel	N	—	—	—	—	X	—	—	400	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deep Branch	N	—	—	—	—	X	1	2	800	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	X	—	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dogwood	N	—	—	—	—	X	—	—	480	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dundarrach	N	—	X	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Elizabeth Heights	N	—	—	—	—	X	—	—	900	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Galilee	N	—	X	—	—	—	—	1	600	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gospel Tabernacle	N	—	—	—	X	—	—	1	2,450	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gray Pond	N	—	X	—	—	—	1	1	450	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Harper's Ferry	N	—	—	X	—	—	—	2	2,539	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	X	—	—
Island Grove	N	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,850	X	—	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	X	—	—
Leith Creek	N	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	600	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lowry's Chapel	N	Y	—	—	—	—	—	—	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mount Atry	N	Y	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,434	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	X	—	—	—	X	—	—
Mount Elijah	N	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	950	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mount Moriah	N	Y	X	—	—	—	—	—	600	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	X	X	—	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mount Bethel	N	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,200	—	X	—	X	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mount Olive	N	—	X	—	—	—	—	1	1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
New Bethel	N	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,250	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	X	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
New Hope	N	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,400	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
New Point	N	—	—	—	—	—	X	—	216	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oak Grove	N	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	900	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pee Dee Chapel	N	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	600	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pembroke First	N	—	—	—	X	X	—	—	3,120	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Piney Grove	N	—	X	—	—	—	—	1	1,531	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pleasant View	N	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1,800	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Reedy Branch	Y	—	—	—	X	X	—	—	2,400	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Saint James	N	—	—	—	—	X	1	1	1,060	X	X	—	X	—	—	—	—	X	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	X	—	—
Smryna	N	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	1,200	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
South Hoke	N	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	150	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tabernacle	N	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	180	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ten Mile Center	N	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	300	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	X	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Thompson Union	N	—	—	—	—	X	—	—	3,600	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Zion Hill	N	—	—	—	—	X	1	—	1,800	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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## RESOLUTION COMMITTEE

Harvey E. Brewington -----	1 year
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Junior Archie Deeese .....	2 years
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Delton Ray Locklear .....	3 years

## MISSIONS COMMITTEE

Coolidge Cummings .....	3 years
Chesley Hammonds .....	1 year
Kern Morgan .....	1 year
Sanford Locklear .....	2 years
Grady Cummings .....	2 years
T. M. Swett .....	3 years

## CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE

James E. Chavis .....	3 years
Tommy D. Swett .....	2 years
F. H. Epps .....	1 year

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T. M. Swett .....	3 years
Grady Holmes .....	1 year
King Maynor .....	2 years

## CAMP COMMITTEE

Bill James Brewington .....	2 years
Miss Anna Mae Locklear .....	2 years
Mrs. Clyde Brewington .....	1 year
Josephus Locklear .....	1 year
Harold Dial .....	3 years
Marshall Locklear .....	3 years

## PROGRAM COMMITTEE

Marshall Locklear .....	3 years
Loleta Blanks .....	2 years
Dr. English Jones .....	1 year

## BURNT SWAMP BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

## NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Purnell Swett .....	3 years
Miss Margaret Locklear .....	1 year
C. W. Maynor .....	1 year
Mrs. Grace Epps .....	2 years
Joseph Locklear .....	2 years
James B. Chavis .....	3 years

## CALENDAR COMMITTEE

Rev. Welton Lowry .....	Moderator, Preachers and Deacons
Rev. Sanford Locklear .....	Moderator, Union
Delton R. Locklear .....	Associational Sunday School Supt.
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Miss Anna Mae Locklear .....	W. M. U. Associational Supt.

## BURNT SWAMP ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE

Bradford Locklear .....	Rowland 28383
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Marshall Locklear .....	Box 361, Pembroke 28372

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N. C. Baptist Children's Homes .....	Tommy D. Swett

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Director .....	James B. Locklear
Assoc. Director .....	James D. Dial
Men's Leader .....	James Brewington
Young Men's Leader .....	Spencer Locklear
Royal Ambassador Leader .....	Josephus Locklear

# W. M. U. OFFICERS

W. M. U. Director	Miss Anna Mae Locklear
Assistant	Mrs. Ethel Lee Locklear
Baptist Women Director	Mrs. Clyde Brewington
Assistant	Mrs. King Maynor
Baptist Young Women Director	Mrs. Hattie Hunt
Assistant	Mrs. Patricia Hunt
Acteen in Action Director	Mrs. Mable Revels
Assistant	Mrs. Jo Ann Baker
Girls in Action Director	Mrs. Vera Doris Malcolm
Assistant	Miss Margaret Locklear
Mission Friends Director	Mrs. Gertrude Hunt
Assistant	Mrs. Josephine Locklear

# TRAINING UNION OFFICERS

Director	Joseph Locklear, Route 1, Pembroke
Assoc. Director and Church Trn Ldr	Welton Lowry, Pembroke
Dir. of New Church Men Orient	Ambrose Chavis, Box 303, Pembroke
Secretary	Mrs. Albert Hammonds, Route 4, Lumberton
Assist. Secretary	Mrs. Christine Griffin, Lumberton
Music Director	Mrs. Mary J. Bryant, Route 1, Pembroke
Assistant Music Director	Miss Gladys Freeman, Route 1, Fairmont
Pianist	Monroe Chavis, Route 1, Pembroke
Asst. Pianist	Miss Lavonda Sampson, Route 1, Pembroke
Pastor Advisor	Rev. C .M. Cummings, Rte. 3, Maxton

# GROUP LEADERS

## NEW CHURCH MEMBER ORIENTATION GROUP LEADERS

Adults	Dalton P. Brooks, Rte 1, Pembroke
Young People	Harold B. Locklear, Rte 3, Maxton
Intermediates	Donnie L. Hunt, Rte 2, Fairmont
Juniors	Grady Chavis, Rte 4, Lumberton

# AGE GROUP LEADERS

Adults	Herbert H. Lloyd, Pembroke
Assistant	James A. Jacobs, Pembroke
Young People	Vinson Hunt, Rte 1, Box 29C, Fairmont
Assistant	Bill James Brewington, Pembroke
Intermediates	Mrs. Ether Mae Harris, Pembroke
Assistant	Percy Oxendine, Pembroke
Juniors	Roy Lacy Cummings, Rte 1, Pembroke
Primary	Mrs. Wessie Chavis, Rte 4, Lumberton
Assistant	Miss Shirley Oxendine, Rte 2, Fairmont
Beginners	Mrs. Vivian Lowry, Pembroke

## ASSOCIATIONAL YOUTH OFFICERS

President ----- Miss Betty Joe Hunt, Route 4, Lumberton  
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 GRAY POND — Ben James Clark, Route 3, Laurinburg, 28352  
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MOUNT MORIAH — Woodrow Locklear, Route 3, Lumberton 28358  
 MOUNT OLIVE — Joseph Locklear, Route 3, Lumberton 28358  
 NEW BETHEL — Festus Brewington, Clinton 28328  
 NEW HOPE — Roscoe Jacobs, Route 1, Box 47, Bolton  
 NEW POINT — Earlie Hunt, Lumberton 28358  
 OAK GROVE — Smiley Chavis, Route 3, Laurinburg 28352  
 PEE DEE CHAPEL — Albert M. Locklear, Route 1, Maxton 28364  
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 TEN MILE CENTER — F. H. Epps, Route 1, Lumberton 28358  
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 UNION — Jim Strickland, Lumberton 28358  
 ZION HILL — Leander Oxendine, Route 2, Red Springs 28377

# ORDAINED MINISTERS

Harvey E. Brewington	Route 2, Clinton
Tony E. Brewington	Pembroke
Rufus Burns	Route 4, Lumberton
Thurman Chavis	Laurinburg
C. M. Cummings	Route 1, Rowland
Grady Cummings	Route 1, Pembroke
Michael Cummings	Route 1, Pembroke
James D. Dial	Route 1, Pembroke
R. T. Freeman	Route 1, Bolton
Tommy W. Hagans	Route 4, Lumberton
Chesley Hammonds	Route 1, Rowland
Jay Hammonds	Route 3, Fairmont
Grady Hunt	Route 5, Lumberton
R. B. Jacobs	Pembroke
L. B. Jacobs	Route 1, Raeford
Manley Jacobs	Route 1, Bolton
A. A. Lockee	Pembroke
B. T. Locklear	Pembroke
C. E. Locklear	Pembroke
Davis Locklear	Pembroke
Glassie Locklear	Route 4, Red Springs
Isiah Locklear	Wakulla
Nash Locklear	Route 3, Maxton
P. C. Locklear	Route 4, Lumberton

Sanford Locklear	Route 1, Pembroke
Wade Locklear	Route 4, Red Springs
Winford Locklear	Route 1, Pembroke
Joseph Lowry	Route 1, Raeford
Welton Lowry	Pembroke
C. W. Maynor	Pembroke
Dawley Maynor	Pembroke
L. A. Maynor	Route 1, Pembroke
King Maynor	Route 4, Lumberton
Roy W. Maynor	Pembroke
Chesley McNeill	Route 3, Lumberton
Douglas Mitchell	Route 3, Lumberton
Delton Morgan	Route 5, Lumberton
N. R. Morgan	Route 5, Lumberton
James E. Oxendine	Route 3, Lumberton
Vester Oxendine	Route 1, Rowland
Elias Rogers	Red Springs
J. R. Rogers	Route 2, Lumberton
T. M. Swett	Route 1, Rowland
C. S. Warriax	Route 1, Rowland
Graham Warriax	Route 2, Pembroke

## LICENTIATES

Dalton Brooks	Pearson Locklear
Joseph Bullard	Telford Locklear
Grady Carter	William Lowry
James Chavis	Britton Maynor
Thurman Chavis	Mack Norton
Ben James Clark	Carlie Oxendine
Hartford Cummings	Floyd Oxendine
David Hunt	Morris Oxendine
Reese Hunt	Rommie Revels
Roscoe Jacobs	Prather Sampson
Bradford Locklear	Wilson Strickland
Edmond Locklear	Purnell Swett
J. R. Locklear	Roosevelt Thompson
Luther Locklear	Elwood Tyler

## MESSENGERS

ANTIOCH — Winston Carter, Emma Smith, Mattie Locklear  
 BEAR SWAMP — James E. Chavis, Proctor Locklear, Benford Dial,  
 Ellis Locklear, Layton Lowry.  
 BERA — Mabel L. Oxendine, Hazel Brewington, Marshall Locklear.  
 BETHEL HILL — S. V. Emanuel, Levi Chavis, Cassie L. Chavis.  
 BEULAH — Bradford Locklear.

- BURNT SWAMP — W. O. Maynor, Hubert Locklear, Margaret Holmes.  
 CAPE FEAR — Vance Gibbs, James Groves, Granvil Hammonds.  
 CEDAR GROVE — Benson Lockley, Cleveland Hammonds.  
 CHEROKEE CHAPEL — Raymond Hammond, Jim Hammond, Missie Strickland.  
 DEEP BRANCH — C. A. Sampson, J. L. Hunt, Anna Hunt.  
 DOGWOOD — Sherman Hunt, Luther Hunt, Ethel Hunt.  
 DUNDARRACH —  
 ELIZABETH HEIGHTS — Odell Morgan, Clennie Jones, Vernie M. Allen.  
 GALILEE — Early G. Locklear.  
 GOSPEL TABERNACLE — Romie Strickland, Lizzie Hunt.  
 GRAY POND — Ben James Clark, Daris Harris, Martin Clark, Jr.  
 HARPER'S FERRY — Hartford Cummings, Henry Brooks, Roosevelt Thompson, Princell Bullard, Willoughby Jones, Earl Cummings, Delton Ray Locklear, Coree Oxendine, Blanche Oxendine.  
 ISLAND GROVE — Monroe Locklear, Carrie Locklear, Phodia Woods.  
 LEITH CREEK —  
 LOWRY'S CHAPEL — Helen Lowry, Linda Miller, Sara Mae Brewer.  
 MOUNT AIRY — R. W. Locklear, Joseph Locklear, Eutie Wilkins, Gladys Jacobs, Strawdy Cummings, Mary E. Carter, Anna Locklear.  
 MOUNT BETHEL — C. H. Richardson.  
 MOUNT ELIM — Roosevelt Locklear, Lonnie L. Locklear.  
 MOUNT MORIAH — M. L. Jacobs, Woodrow Locklear, Marvin J. Hunt.  
 MOUNT OLIVE — Ambrose Locklear, Fearby Hunt  
 NEW BETHEL — Bessie Brewington, Cora Brewington, Pauline Roller, Lloyd Jacobs, Clifton Simmons.  
 NEW HOPE — Manley Jacobs, James Patrick, Lannie Graham, Sarah Jacobs.  
 NEW POINT — Leo Locklear, Luther Locklear  
 OAK GROVE — Neal Goins, Bertha Smith, Elizabeth Reece.  
 PEE DEE CHAPEL — Melvin Locklear.  
 PEMBROKE FIRST — Grady Holmes, Fannie Lowry.  
 PINEY GROVE — Ola L. Hunt, Dorothy Hunt, Lona Jones, W. O. Hammonds.  
 PLEASANT VIEW — G. B. Barnes, Betty G. Barnes, Shirley Oxendine.  
 REEDY BRANCH — Oscar Chavis Bruce Chavis, James A. Walters, C. W. Rogers, Aggie N. Rogers, Bertie Walters.  
 SAINT JAMES — James R. Mitchell, George Graham, Edward Jacobs, Edgar Young.  
 SMYRNA — Johnie Hunt, W. F. Revels, Lance Hardin, Liza Revels.  
 TABERNACLE — Red Jones, Effie J. Oxendine, Effie A. Oxendine.  
 SOUTH HOKE — Eula Jacobs, Jessie J. Locklear.  
 TEN MILE CENTER — Frank H. Epps, Loleta Blanks.  
 THOMPSON — Madie Dial, Madis Spaulding, Henry Hammonds.  
 UNION — Joseph Bullard, Carlie Jacobs, Bonnie Strickland.  
 ZION HILL — Calvin Locklear, Milton Hall, Wessie Bell Hall.

## BURNT SWAMP BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

## PROCEEDINGS

## OF THE

## BURNT SWAMP ASSOCIATION

## HELD WITH

## MOUNT ELIM CHURCH

October 15, 1970

Thursday Morning Session

The Ninety-Third Session of the Burnt Swamp Association convened at Mount Elim Church, Red Springs, North Carolina, at 10:00 A.M., Thursday, October 15, 1970. The song service was conducted by Mr. Clarence Oxendine of Harper's Ferry Church, with Mrs. Mable Oxendine at the piano. The group sang "Love Lifted Me".

The devotion was conducted by Reverend King Maynor, pastor of Mount Elim Church. He read Luke 10:1-3. And after comments, Brother Z. A. Lowry offered prayer. Reverend Maynor welcomed the group.

The Moderator called the body to order and declared us ready for business. The Clerk gave a digested report of the letters. The Clerk also distributed mimeographed copies of the digested letters and the Treasurer's report.

The Moderator read the report of the Nominating Committee. The Committee nominated John L. Carter to serve as clerk. Mr. James B. Locklear moved that the nominating committee's report be accepted. The motion was carried.

The Moderator called for the petition letters. The Union Light Church delegates, Leon Smiling, Clyde Epps, Alex Gibbs, Mrs. Sadie Dukes, and the pastor, Reverend J. R. Rogers were given the right hand of fellowship welcoming them as full-fledged members of the Burnt Swamp Association.

The Moderator recognized Mr. Mike Hensley from Gardner-Webb College and announced that we should send them some students.

Brother Marshall Locklear discussed "Christian Living". He stated that Christian Living is an individual concern. We must be honest with ourselves. We cause all the difficulties that we have to encounter. We must face ourself face to face.

Reverend Bill Lamb, Baptist State Convention, discussed the Baptist Foundation and the Cooperative Program. He read Proverbs 29:15 and Acts 2:32 and discussed the need for vision if we would succeed. We never reach our possibilities in stewardship. He discussed the different phases of the cooperative program.

The group sang "He Lives".

Mr. Tommie Swett introduced Dr. D. E. Ward who discussed the Baptist Children's Home. Dr. Ward, a Lumberton physician and Trustee of the Baptist Children's Home, called to attention to the privileges we have to serye by supporting the children's home. He explained the activities carried on in the many homes to care for needy children and unwed mothers.

The group sang "Amazing Grace". Reverend Tony E. Brewington introduced Dr. Russell Cherry. The annual message was brought by Dr. Cherry, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Lumberton, North Carolina. "Whom do you say I am? The Church, my church. Christ gave himself for His Church." He stated we must witness and worship.

Prayer was offered by Reverend Bill Lamb and the group adjourned for lunch.

#### Thursday Afternoon Session

The Afternoon Session opened with the group singing "Crown Him Lord of All". Reverend C. H. Richardson offered prayer. Then the Moderator declared the body ready for business.

The Moderator announced the recommendation of the Executive Board of the Burnt Swamp Association that a Parliamentarian be elected to serve in the Burnt Swamp Association.

Brother Grady Holmes offered a motion that a Parliamentarian be elected. The motion was carried.

The Sunday School work was discussed by Mr. Harry Clark, Baptist State Convention Representative. He stated that we must teach the Bible more and in more places. We must teach the Bible better; it is the Book.

Mr. Guy S. Cain, Baptist State Convention Representative. discussed the Annuity Program. He made an appeal to the churches to enroll their pastors in the Annuity Program.

The Baptist Hospital Program was discussed by Mr. Calvin Knight, Representative of the Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem, North Carolina. He discussed the specialized services available at the Baptist Hospital, the Christian Spirit and influence experienced at the Baptist Hospital. He also discussed the financial needs of the hospital and made an appeal for help in carrying on the work.

Reverend Robert Mangum, Director of the Robeson Church and Community Center, discussed the activities of this organization.

A resolution of thanks was offered to Mount Elim Church for their hospitality. The group sang "God Be with You" and prayer was offered by Reverend Robert Mangum.

A. A. Lockee, Moderator  
John L. Carter, Clerk

## BURNT SWAMP BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

## UNION BAPTIST CHURCH

October 16, 1970

## Friday Morning Session

The group sang, "Lift Me Up". The song service was led by Mr. Clarence Oxendine, with Mrs. Mable Oxendine at the piano.

The devotion was conducted by Reverend Wade Locklear, pastor of Union Baptist Church. He read John 16:1-8. He commented and offered prayer.

Mr. F. H. Epps, Vice-Moderator, called the body to order and welcomed the visitors to sit with us in the session. The clerk read the minutes of the Thursday Session. Reverend Sanford Locklear made the motion that the minutes be approved. The motion carried. The moderator asked that the body give the privilege to change the program as the need arises. Brother James E. Chavis offered a motion that the request be granted. The motion carried.

The moderator presented the program and called for the first number.

Reverend Jimmy Fox, Baptist Student Union Director at Pembroke State University, and pastor of Berea Baptist Church, discussed the student union work. He stated that while students on other college and university campuses were rioting and destroying property, the students at Pembroke State University were helping build churches, and doing other benevolent work.

Miss Anna Mae Locklear, Associational W.M.U. Director, gave the W.M.U. activity report. She stated that we should get in Mission Action. Action should be in the community, state, nation, and world. She stated that we are in a world of confusion, but this gives us the greatest opportunities to do mission work, and help win the lost, through all the available ministries.

Christian Education was discussed by Miss I. R. Martin, Professor of Pembroke State University. She stated that our love should not be just words, but also, action. We must watch out for the little evils that creep into our lives and destroy us. She stated that we need to re-evaluate ourselves and our church.

Mr. Luther Osment, Baptist State Convention, discussed the Brotherhood program. He stated that we face confusion, poverty, and unrest, also spiritual needs. We are obligated by the Bible to go and strive to help meet our obligations.

The Mission report was discussed by Reverend Tony E. Brewington, Superintendent of Missions of the Burnt Swamp Association. He discussed the Burnt Swamp Calendar.

The Message of the Friday Session was brought by Reverend C. W. Maynor. He read Acts 1 "Ye shall be witnesses". He stated that we have a two-fold commission — subdue the earth and go teach all nations. He said that we have done a good job in subduing the earth. We have much yet to be done in teaching. The Lord is depending on us to strive to complete the commission "GO TEACH". It is our Christian duty. His message was very spiritual, informative, challenging, and inspiring. If we would be able to go teach and win, we must be able to walk together, in love and harmony.

Reverend C. E. Locklear offered prayer. The group adjourned for lunch.

#### Friday Afternoon Session

The afternoon session opened with the group singing "Heavenly Sunlight".

The Moderator declared the body ready for business and announced the afternoon program.

The Training Union Report was brought by Mr. Joseph Locklear. He discussed the Training Program promoted by the Southern Baptist Convention. He stated that he was disappointed at the response of the churches in the Burnt Swamp Association. He appealed to the churches to support the training program.

The associational reports were given and approved.

Reverend C. W. Maynor gave the report of three ministers. Reverend Jay Hammonds, Reverend Carl Hunt, and Mike Cummings were ordained during the year.

Reverend Jay Hammond — Pleasant View

Reverend Carl Hunt — Gospel Tabernacle

Reverend Mike Cummings — Bear Swamp

Also, several deacons were ordained during the year. The report was given by Reverend C. S. Warriax.

The report on the Missions sponsored by the Burnt Swamp Association was given. Elrod Mission, and Dundarrach Mission, but the West Side Mission is not progressing very much.

The First Day, October 14, 1971 Harper's Ferry Church, and the second day, New Hope Church, October 15, 1971 will be the dates for the Next Session of the Burnt Swamp Baptist Association.

The Financial report was given by Mr. John Earl Cummings. The obituary report was given by Reverend L. A. Maynor. Reverend Maynor asked for a silent prayer in honor of our homegoers. Reverend Roy Maynor offered prayer.

The constitution committee recommended that a parliamentarian be elected and become an officer of the Burnt Swamp Association. This report was given by Mr. F. H. Epps.

The committee on committees was given by Mr. F. H. Epps. The report was approved. James E. Chavis offered the motion.

The resolution committee report was given by Brother James E. Chavis. A resolution on the sale and use of alcoholic beverages was offered. By motion the resolution was approved.

Mrs. Letha Hammonds gave a report on registration. She asked for cooperation of the delegates.

The Finances collected from the churches during the association by a report showed \$2,145.00.

Reverend Tony E. Brewington announced that the children's home trustees have donated a plot of land to build an association building.

Mr. Marshall Locklear, gave the report of the nominating committee.

Roy W. Maynor, Moderator; C. W. Maynor, Vice-Moderator; James H. Hammonds, Treasurer; Wilson Chavis, Historian; James (Jack) Hunt, Trustee (3)

A vote of thanks to Union Baptist Church was offered. The group sang "Blest Be the Tie".

The session closed with a prayer by Reverend A. A. Lockee.

Roy W. Maynor, Moderator  
John L. Carter, Clerk

## MISSION COMMITTEE REPORT

to the

Annual Association

October 16, 1970

The mission committee met several times during the year to discuss the employment of a Superintendant of Missions and the nature of his work. The name of Rev. Tony E. Brewington, a Southeastern Seminary senior and pastor of Pembroke First Baptist Church, was presented to the Executive Committee for consideration. The report was accepted and Rev. Brewington hired with the understanding that he would begin work June 1, 1970. Application was made to the N. C. Baptist State Convention and to the Home Mission Board for financial assistance. This application was granted and became effective July 1, 1970. The N. C. Baptist State Convention granted \$200.00 monthly on the missionary's salary, and the Home Mission Board, considering Rev. Brewington as an associate missionary with the Board granted \$200.00 monthly. Thus, a total of \$400.00 per month in financial assistance for missionary salary was granted.

A temporary Burnt Swamp Associational Office was opened on 115 Third Street in Pembroke, N. C., June 1, 1970. New furniture and office supplies were purchased to facilitate the missionary's work. Request was made to the N. C. Baptist Children's Homes for a plot of land on the Odum Home property for the purpose of building a permanent associational office. The Trustees of the Children's Homes approved the grant of approximately one acre of land facing the Red Springs Road. The association has approved the construction of the building to begin immediately.

Statistics of the missionary's four months of employment to the present time are as follows:

Churches Visited	----- 21	Committee Meetings	----- 16
Sermons Preached	----- 30	Conversions	----- 103
Individual Conferences	----- 171	Miles Traveled	----- 7,544
Group Conferences	----- 23	Monthly Newsletters Dis.	----- 3,650

The association appears to have made progressive steps during the last three months. There has been a definite increase of participation by those churches which here-to-fore were somewhat inactive. Greater enthusiasm, in fact, has been recognized in all our churches. There is better representation at our associational meetings, and the expressions of unusual interest in the associational affairs are encouraging. We have received reports that almost every church is increasing in the gifts to the association and to the various Baptist agencies. We rejoice over all these positive steps being made.

The Elrod Mission has made much progress through the ministry

of Mr. Purnell Swett and Mr. John E. Cummings. The S.S. attendance has grown to an average of about 40 persons, and the offering continues to increase. Repairs on the building need to be made including a paint job.

The Dundarrach Mission has shown even greater progress. The pastor, Rev. Chesley McNeill, and his family have gone more than the second mile in personal sacrifices to minister to the many hungry souls in that area. The mission's average attendance is now 50-60 and an increase in offerings. The mission purchased a \$650.00 bus in the early summer. Berea Baptist Church has voted to give the mission several pews.

The West End Mission in Lumberton has been operating for some five years and has made little progress. One reason for this is its location. Interstate 95 separates the mission building and the mission field. The association own two acres of land on the field, and the missionary and mission committee is now in search for a meeting place within this vicinity to begin holding services.

It has been suggested that June 6, 1971 be designated as Burnt Swamp Missions Day and Offering for the churches to emphasize the mission work and collect a special offering to be distributed among the missions for special needs.

It is the belief of the Mission Committee that God has great plans for the Burnt Swamp Association in the proclamation of His Word. It is our hope and will that we can be a part of those plans.

Respectfully submitted by, Charley Warriax, Chairman

### ASSOCIATIONAL W.M.U. REPORT

As I accepted the nomination for WMU Director of Woman's Missionary Union of our Association for the year 1970-1971, I was actually trembling even though I am entering in on my twenty-fourth year of service as A WMU Director. Feeling the great responsibility of the Task Ahead, makes me feel very unable and unworthy. Yet underneath physical symptoms there is a calm wonderful peace . . . for I am sure "We can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me" Phil. 4:13.

As we began our Associational year, we met at Deep Branch Church for A WMU Workshop. There were 15 churches present with about 120 in attendance. A bountiful supper was prepared by the ladies of the host church.

Under the direction of our Age-level Directors, fifteen of our Intermediate girls attended the G.A. Camp at Mundo Vista, and thirteen

Our Annual WMU Meeting met with Deep Branch Church. Rev. Junior girls attended World Mission Week at Fort Caswell, along with four Adult women.

R. L. Stocks, Missionary to Africa and Miss Jolene Ivey, Girls Auxiliary Director of Raleigh, North Carolina were our Special Guest speakers.

Our State Workshop was well attended. We had a representative for all the different conferences. When we left I felt that we were all better acquainted with the New Program for the 70's. If you have never been to one of these meetings, I urge you to go.

As we enter into the new year 1970-71, we are attempting Great things for Christ and expecting Great things to happen in our Association — With Our New Program of Work, I feel that mission's In Actions is going to come alive in all our churches.

Respectfully submitted, Anna Mae Locklear, W.M.U. Director

### RESOLUTIONS

At the Annual Association Meeting, Friday, October 16, 1970, the following resolution was passed.

"We, the Burnt Swamp Baptist Association, do resolve ourselves this day, October 16, 1970, to officially and actively support the war against the sale of beer and wine in Robeson County. It is our conviction, according with the Baptist Church Covenant, that the sale and use of intoxicating beverages are in complete contradiction with the beliefs and practices of Christian believers and is contrary to the Word of God. We further resolve to use our influence to encourage all Christians throughout Robeson County to fight this issue and to vote against it during the elections of November 3, 1970."

James E. Chavis, Chairman, Resolution Committee

### OUR HOME GOERS

ANTIOCH — Reverend W. A. Bell

BEREA — Mrs. Irene Sampson, Mr. William Matthew Oxendine

BETHEL HILL — Mrs. W. H. Emanuel

CHEROKEE CHAPEL — Mr. James W. Lewis, Miss Pearl Oxendine

DEEP BRANCH — Mr. John Locklear, Mr. Bennie Locklear, Mrs.

Sabron Sampson

ELIZABETH HEIGHTS — Mr. James T. Locklear

GRAY POND — Mr. Henry Hardin

HARPER'S FERRY — Mrs. Lena Dial

MOUNT BETHEL — Mr. A. R. Greene, Mr. G. L. Evans, Mr. H. K.

Richardson, Mrs. D. Richardson, Mr. J. Richardson

MOUNT AIRY — Deacon Lonnie J. Locklear

NEW BETHEL — Mr. Joseph Brewington

OAK GROVE — Mr. James F. Locklear

PEMBROKE FIRST — Mr. Miles Jones

PINEY GROVE — Mrs. Emma Lowry

REEDY BRANCH — Mrs. Ada Carter, Mr. Foster Chavis

SAINT JAMES — Deacon Junious B. Wells

UNION — Mr. Jack Sampson, Mrs. Callie Collins, Mrs. Sadie Jacobs, Mr. Lock Carter, Mrs. Priscilla Hunt

Respectfully submitted by Wade Locklear, N. R. Morgan, L. A. Maynor, Obituary Committee

## BURNT SWAMP BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

## FINANCIAL REPORT — 1969-1970

Title	Budget Allowance	Expenditures
<b>EDUCATION AND PROMOTION</b>		
Vacation Bible School -----	\$200.00	\$74.39
Sunday School -----	200.00	47.69
Training Union -----	250.00	90.61
Women's Missionary Society -----	150.00	50.00
Music Department -----	100.00	00.00
Evangelism Department -----	100.00	10.00
Brotherhood Department -----	150.00	20.00
Youth Program -----	0.00	35.19
		<u>\$327.88</u>
<b>ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE</b>		
Secretary -----	250.00	225.00
Postage -----	50.00	161.48
Bonding Fee -----	10.00	0.00
Office Supplies and Rent -----	200.00	907.37
Minutes -----	500.00	1092.78
Telephone -----	100.00	75.82
Utilities -----	0.00	21.05
Repairs -----	0.00	118.57
		<u>\$2,602.07</u>
<b>SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES</b>		
Supt. of Missions -----	6,000.00	1316.66
Travel Allowance -----	600.00	200.00
Housing Allowance -----	1,200.00	400.00
Supt. Expense to Southern Bapt. Con. ---	200.00	0.00
Supt. Expense to Bapt. State Conv. -----	50.00	0.00
Supt. Retirement (Annuity) -----	200.00	66.68
Moderator's Expense to SBC -----	200.00	0.00
Moderator's Expense to BSC -----	50.00	0.00
Moderator's Local Expense -----	300.00	0.00
Associational Clerk -----	300.00	300.00
		<u>\$2,283.34</u>
	Total <u>\$10,760.00</u>	<u>\$5,213.29</u>
Balance Brought Forward Oct. 1, 1969 -----		\$2,180.52
Receipts from Churches -----		6,490.83
Receipts from Baptist State Convention -----		400.00
		<u>Total \$9,071.35</u>
Adjusted Balance minus Expenditures -----		3,858.06
Assembly Fund -----		3,615.30
Total Cash on Hand -----		<u>\$7,473.36</u>

Respectfully submitted by James H. Hammonds, Treasurer

## BUDGET FOR BURNT SWAMP

## BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1970-1971

## EDUCATION AND PROMOTION

Vacation Bible School -----	\$ 250.00
Sunday School -----	300.00
Training Union -----	300.00
Women's Missionary Union -----	200.00
Music Department -----	100.00
Evangelism Department -----	100.00
Brotherhood Department -----	100.00
Youth Program -----	75.00
Seminary Extension -----	50.00

## ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE

Secretary -----	250.00
Postage -----	75.00
Bonding Fee -----	10.00
Office Supplies -----	250.00
Minutes -----	1,000.00
Telephone -----	100.00
Utilities -----	150.00

## SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES

Superintendent of Missions -----	6,000.00
Credit Card for Travel — (\$75.00 per month) -----	900.00
Housing Allowance -----	1,200.00
Utilities -----	600.00
Missionary's Convention and Assembly Expenses -----	300.00
Missionary's Retirement -----	400.00
Moderator's Convention and Assembly Expense -----	250.00
Moderator's Local Expense -----	300.00
Associational Clerk -----	300.00

## BURNT SWAMP ASSEMBLY

Associational Building -----	20,000.00
TOTAL -----	<u>\$33,560.00</u>
Submitted by Finance Committee:	

John E. Cummings, Chairman  
 Norman Hammonds  
 Bowman Freeman  
 Clinton Thomas

Newman Oxendine  
 Rev. Graham Warriax  
 Clearence F. Locklear  
 Junior Archie Deese  
 James B. Locklear

CONSTITUTION OF THE BURNT SWAMP MISSIONARY  
BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

## Article I — Name

The body shall be known as the Burnt Swamp Missionary Baptist Association.

## Article II — Membership

Members of this body shall be messengers by the churches of the association, and all ordained ministers of the gospel who are members of the churches within the Association. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers for the first one hundred or portion thereof and an additional messenger for each additional fifty or major fraction thereof.

## Article III — Purpose or Object

The object of this Association shall be to furnish the Baptist Churches of the Burnt Swamp Baptist Association a medium of co-operation for the propagation of the Gospel of Jesus Christ and for the Advancement of the Redeemer's Kingdom by all methods in accordance with the Word of God, and also to emphasize the responsibilities of its membership in relation to Missions, Benevolences, Education, and to cooperate with our State and Southern Baptist Convention to increase the intelligence and spiritual power of the gospel to promote harmony and fellowship among the churches.

## Article IV — Officers

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational Training Union Director, President of the Brotherhood, Associational Superintendent of W. M. U. and Historian.

Section 2. The Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer and Historian shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations. The Nominating Committee's report shall not preclude nominations from the floor. The Associational Sunday School Superintendent, the Training Union Director, President of the Brotherhood, and the Superintendent of the W. M. U. shall be nominated by the respective organizations which they represent and shall be approved by the Executive Board at its June meeting. The Clerk and Treasurer may be combined at the discretion of the Association.

Section 3. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the body, and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall be Chairman of the Executive Board. He shall serve as ex-officio member of all committees. No one may serve as Moderator after two successive terms without a lapse of one year.

Section 4. The Vice-Moderator shall preside in the absence of or at the discretion of the Moderator.

Section 5. The Clerk shall keep an accurate record of the Proceedings of the body, mail blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches affiliated with the Association, prepare, publish, and distribute the

minutes of the Association as soon as practicable after adjournment. He shall receive annually a compensation for his services as provided for in the By-Laws.

Section 6. The Treasurer shall receive and distribute all funds of the Association subject to its order or the approval of the Executive Council or the Executive Board or both. The Treasurer shall also make a written report to each quarterly session of the Executive Board showing all receipts and expenditures and also a written report showing the complete financial operation at each annual session of the Association.

Section 7. All officers of the Association shall assume their duties at the close of the Association.

#### Article V — Prerogative

The Association may sever connection with any church that becomes heterodox in doctrine or disorderly in practice, or that fails to represent itself by letter or messenger for more than two consecutive annual meetings of the Association without good reason thereof, or that treats with contempt the objects and requirements of the Association.

The Association may also sever connection with any church at the request of said church. The Association may receive other Baptist Churches into its membership upon recommendation of the Committee on Petitions. A majority vote to receive shall be required. The Association shall have no power or right to interfere with the internal affairs of the churches, but will be ready at all times to render assistance to any church requesting help.

#### Article VI — Committees

Section 1. The Executive Board shall be composed of the officers of the Association, the Ordained Ministers and one lay member from each church in the Association; the lay member to be elected by the church and the name of each lay member to be reported to the Clerk of the Association. The member of the General Board to the Baptist State Convention, Moderator and Clerk of the Burnt Swamp Baptist Union, Moderator of the Preachers and Deacons Conference, and the Chairman of the Standing Committees shall also be members of the Executive Board.

Section 2. The Executive Board shall have the authority to fill, for the remainder of the Associational year, all vacancies in the membership occurring between sessions of the Association upon recommendation of the Committee on Committees, and it shall lead the Association in a constructive and aggressive Missionary program at all times.

Section 3. The duties of the Executive Board shall be as follows:

- (1) The Executive Board shall administer and be in general charge of the affairs of the Association between its sessions.
- (2) The Executive Board shall coordinate and correlate as far as possible all Associational activities, and to this end all departments of the Associational work shall give their cooperation.

- (3) The Executive Board shall have authority to appeal to the churches for contributions to carry on the work of the Association.
- (4) The Executive Board shall at its discretion set up an Executive Council. The Executive Board shall define its duties, establish its membership, and set the time and the place of the regular meeting.

Section 4. The Executive Board shall meet quarterly, make a written report to each session of the Association covering the work done under its discretion during the preceding year and containing any recommendations the committee may wish to make.

Section 5. The Association shall have the following standing committees, with their terms of office being from the close of the annual meeting through the following annual meeting. Members of all standing committees shall be elected for a term of three years, with one-third of the membership elected each year, except that the terms of the first group of Committees to be chosen shall be staggered one-third of said committees to serve for a term of one year, one-third of said committees to serve for a term of two years one-third of said committees to serve for a term of three years. Names of all committee members shall be printed in the minutes, together with their terms of office. This rotation does not apply to the Committee on Calendar, whose members serve *ex-officio*.

- A. To be appointed by the Moderator at the annual meeting, or immediately thereafter. Committee on Committees.
- B. To be nominated by the Committee on Committees and elected by the Association at the annual meeting.
  - (1) Resolutions Committee
  - (2) Finance Committee
  - (3) Missions Committee
  - (4) Nominating Committee
  - (5) Calendar Committee
  - (6) Constitution Committee
  - (7) Membership or Petition Committee
  - (8) Camp Committee
  - (9) Program Committee
- C. The following Committees shall be appointed by the Moderator at least thirty days prior to the annual meeting to serve during annual meeting.
  - (1) Time and Place Committee
  - (2) Enrollment Messengers Committee
  - (3) Obituary Committee

Section 6. Other temporary committees that may be created by the Association shall be appointed by the Moderator.

#### Article VII — Duties of the Churches

It shall be the duty of each church to report to the Association annually, by letter and through messengers. These letters should be in the hands of the Clerk ten (10) days before the meeting, giving the correct

statistical information of its work and whatever relates to its general welfare, together with funds to meet the financial plan of the Association as recommended by the Budget Committee of the Association. Statistics of the churches shall be tabulated and printed.

### Article VIII — Duties of Standing Committees

Section 1. The Resolutions Committee, composed of three (3) members, shall draw up and present to the Association, resolutions of appreciation and any other resolution it or the Association may deem wise.

Section 2. The Finance Committee, composed of nine (9) members and the Treasurer, shall study the Association's financial needs for an adequate program, present a budget to the Association for the following year, devise plans for securing the cooperation of the churches in raising funds to meet the budget, and make a written report to the annual meeting.

Section 3. The Missions Committee.

- (1) This committee shall be composed of six (6) members. It shall work with the Associational Missionary in promoting the work in the Association, lead and assist in organizing new churches and in beginning new mission stations.
- (2) If such advice is sought, it shall advise any group seeking to organize a new church. It shall also seek to help any member church desiring assistance with its problems.
- (3) It shall be the duty of this committee to cooperate with the Associational Missionary program, and to supervise the same.
- (4) When without a Missionary, this committee shall seek out and recommend to the Association, or its Executive Board a new Missionary for election.

Section 4. The Nominating Committee, composed of six members, shall contact before and nominate on the last day at the annual meeting of the Association, the officers of the Association, according to Article IV and XII of the Constitution. This committee's nomination shall not preclude other nominations from the floor.

Section 5. The Calendar Committee. This committee shall be composed of the Heads of the Departments, the Moderator of the Union, the Moderator of the Preachers and Deacons Meeting, with the Moderator of the Association, the Clerk and Associational Missionary serving as ex-officio members. This committee shall prepare an Associational Calendar for the coming year and present same to the Executive Board for adoption. After their approval it shall be presented to the Association at the annual meeting.

Section 6. The Constitution Committee shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to study and recommend changes in the Constitution when they deem it necessary and bring reports to the Executive Board and the Association.

Section 7. The Camp Committee shall be composed of six members, including pastors, laymen, and laywomen. It shall direct the develop-

ment and use of the property with the advice and consent of the Executive Board or the Association.

Section 8. The Program Committee shall be composed of three members and the Moderator and the Clerk. It shall prepare a printed program for the annual meeting of the Association which shall be sent to all persons on the program and to all pastors at least thirty days before the annual meeting of the Association. It shall, in the opening of the annual meeting of the Association, present the printed program for adoption, and serve through the sessions when adjustments in the order of business becomes necessary.

Section 9. The Committee on Committees, composed of six members shall perform the duties as set forth in the Constitution (Article VI. Section 5.), and shall assist the Executive Board in filling vacancies on all other standing committees occurring between sessions. This committee shall also name the chairman of each committee.

Section 10. The Committee on Place and Time, composed of three members, shall receive or solicit invitations for the place or places of meetings for the next annual meeting of the Association, and shall recommend the place or places.

Section 11. The Committee on Enrollment, composed of six members shall prepare for and register all the messengers and visitors attending the Association.

Section 12. The Obituary Committee shall be composed of three members with one being appointed each year. It shall be the duty of this committee to bring a suitable report at the annual meeting and lead in a memorial service in the memory of those reported by the churches to have died since the last annual meeting.

Section 13. The Petitions Committee

- (1) This committee shall be composed of three members with one being appointed each year. Any church seeking admission to the membership of the Association shall petition in writing the Executive Board at least six (6) months before the annual meeting of the Association, which petition shall be referred to the Petitions Committee for its study of the petitioning church's covenant, articles of faith, history, practices, cooperative spirit, its relations to other member churches of the Association, and its willingness to abide by the Constitution and By-Laws of the Association. The Petitions Committee shall then report to the Association, at its next annual meeting, its findings and recommendations for Associational action.
- (2) Each church applying for membership in the Association, upon approval shall be received under watch-care of the Association for a period of one year.

#### Article IX — Meetings

There shall be one annual meeting of the Association and as many additional meetings as deemed necessary by the Association or the Exe-

cutive Board. The annual session of the Association shall begin on Thursday before the third Sunday in October, at such place as may be chosen.

#### Article X — Amendments

This Constitution may be amended by a two-third vote of the members present at any regular meeting provided notice has been given at a preceeding meeting of the proposed change and the minutes bear a record thereof.

#### Article XI — Advisory Board

Section 1. An Advisory Board, composed of five ordained ministers and deacons, shall be appointed annually, by the Moderator, whose duty shall be to assist the churches of the Burnt Swamp Association in adjusting their differences. They shall act as an arbitrator.

Section 2. They shall assist the pastors in ordaining preachers and deacons.

Section 3. A minister coming from another denomination must pass satisfactorily an examination along Baptist doctrinal lines before being recommended to his church for ordination.

#### Article XII — Trustees and their Election

Section 1. There shall be three trustees of the Association, serving terms of three years each. On nomination by the Committee on Nominations, one trustee shall be elected at each annual meeting. The expiration date of each trustee's term of office shall appear by his name in the Association Minutes.

Section 2. Trustees shall serve for a term of three years, except that the terms of the first group of trustees to be chosen shall be staggered, one of said trustees to serve for a term of one year, one of said trustees to serve for a term of two years, and one of said trustees to serve for a term of three years.

Section 3. The duty of the trustees shall be: to hold in trust any property, money, endowment, or other securities of said Association, and they shall handle all legal matters of the Association under the direction of the Association or its Executive Board.

#### Article XIII — Superintendent of Missions

Section 1. His selection shall be upon recommendation of the Committee on Missions and on vote by the Association in its annual meeting, or between sessions of the Association, by its Executive Board. He shall be ex-officio of all committees and organizations of the Association in a serving and advisory capacity.

Section 2. The Associational Missionary shall promote the work of the Association and Denomination, cooperating with the churches, their pastors and officers, and the Associational Committees and Organizations.

## General Duties of Associational Missionary

1. His relationship to the organizations of the Association shall be that of Pastor Advisor.
2. He shall offer his services to the churches as needs arise, and work with them upon their invitation.
3. He shall lead in the Primary Missions work of the Association, in cooperation with the Missions Committee.
4. He shall promote the whole program of the Association, the Baptist State Convention, and the Southern Baptist Convention.
5. He shall serve as ex-officio member of the committees of the Association.
6. His work shall be under the direction of the Association.
7. He shall have two weeks annual vacation with pay, plus two weeks of revival time exclusive of his mission work, if desired, with honorarium kept for personal use. All other honoraria shall be given back into the Treasury of the Association.
8. He shall have administrative supervision of such work as assigned him by the Association.
9. The Missionary shall report to the Association through a bulletin mailed at least monthly.

## BY-LAWS

Section 1. Robert's Rules of Order shall be used as a standard for parliamentary procedure for the transaction of all business.

Section 2. A quorum for the transaction of business shall consist of messengers from a majority of the churches.

Section 3. Every person wishing to speak shall rise and address the Moderator, confining himself closely to the subject under discussion, bearing in mind always to observe a spirit of brotherhood and Christian love.

Section 4. Persons addressing the body shall not be interrupted within their allotted time unless out of order, or for the purpose of explanation.

Section 5. No person shall speak more than twice on any given subject without permission from the Association.

Section 6. If anyone shall think that the Moderator has unfairly stated a motion, the person making the motion shall reduce it to writing, and it shall be read by the Clerk before the vote is taken.

Section 7. That the Clerk be allowed \$300.00 per year for his service.

Section 8. These By-Laws may be changed by a two-thirds vote of the body at any session.

## ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Report of Clerk.
2. Election of Clerk.
3. Calling of Petitionary Letters.
4. Appointment of Committees.
5. Report of Treasurer.
6. Reports.
7. Reports of Special Committees.
8. Election of Moderator, Vice-Moderator and Treasurer.
9. Miscellaneous Business.
10. Incidentals and routine business shall be in order at any time.
11. Adjournment.

# HISTORICAL TABLE

Date	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1880	Burnt Swamp	Cary Wilkins	J. S. Wilkins	F. Prevatte
1881	Reedy Branch	Cary Wilkins	J. S. Wilkins	Cary Wilkins
1882	Magnolia	Cary Wilkins	J. S. Wilkins	J. W. Blanks
1883	Mt. Pleasant	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	Cary Wilkins
1884	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1885	Mt. Olive	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	Jordan Chavis
1886	Mt. Pleasant	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	J. W. Blanks
1887	Oak Grove	Cary Wilkins	E. Sampson	Jordan Chavis
1888	Reedy Branch	Gilbert Locklear	E. Sampson	Gilbert Locklear
1889	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1890	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1891	No Record	No Record	No Record	No Record
1892	Magnolia	J. W. Blanks	Joseph Sampson	S. McLeod
1893	Burnt Swamp	J. W. Blanks	Joseph Sampson	A. D. Locklear
1894	Harper's Ferry	Cary Wilkins	A. S. Locklear	Wm. Sampson
1895	Piney Grove	Cary Wilkins	A. S. Locklear	A. D. Locklear
1896	Oak Grove	Cary Wilkins	Joseph Sampson	Gilbert Locklear
1897	Mt. Olive	Cary Wilkins	Joseph Sampson	Gilbert Locklear
1898	Deep Branch	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	None
1899	Burnt Swamp	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	A. D. Locklear
1900	Reedy Branch	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	Jordan Chavis
1901	Harper's Ferry	Gilbert Locklear	O. R. Sampson	P. P. Locklear
1902	Piney Grove	Wm. Sampson	Joseph Sampson	J. J. Bell
1903	Deep Branch	J. W. Blanks	E. Sampson	Wm. Sampson
1904	Reedy Branch	Wm. Sampson	E. Sampson	A. D. Locklear
1905	Piney Grove	Gilbert Locklear	A. S. Locklear	E. F. Warlax
1906	Oak Grove	Gilbert Locklear	W. G. Hunt	J. E. Hunt
1907	Burnt Swamp	Gilbert Locklear	A. N. Locklear	J. J. Bell
1908	Mt. Olive	J. E. Hunt	A. N. Locklear	J. W. Blanks
1909	Bear Swamp	J. W. Blanks	A. N. Locklear	J. C. Clark
1910	Reedy Branch	J. J. Bell	A. N. Locklear	P. P. Locklear
1911	Harper's Ferry	J. J. Bell	A. N. Locklear	A. T. Taylor
1912	Deep Branch	J. J. Bell	A. N. Locklear	M. L. Brewington
1913	Mt. Olive	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	Z. B. Brooks
1914	Reedy Branch	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	W. G. Hunt
1915	Deep Branch	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	J. J. Bell
1916	Mt. Airy	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	S. S. Lowry
1917	Oak Grove	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	D. P. Locklear
1918	Mt. Olive	J. J. Bell	W. D. Oxendine	J. C. Clark
1919	Antioch	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	J. C. Clark
1920	Deep Branch	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	S. J. Chavis
1921	Piney Grove	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	H. E. Coleman
1922	Reedy Branch	J. J. Bell	L. W. Jacobs	J. J. Bell
1923	Harper's Ferry	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	S. A. Hammonds
1924	Mt. Airy	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	J. C. Clark
1925	Bear Swamp	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	J. E. Hunt
1926	Mt. Olive	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	S. A. Hammonds
1927	Bethel Hill	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	S. A. Hammonds
1928	Antioch	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	L. W. Jacobs
1929	Bear Swamp	W. D. Oxendine	A. N. Locklear	J. W. Beagle
1930	Reedy Branch	S. A. Hammonds	A. N. Locklear	L. A. Maynor
1931	Mt. Airy	S. A. Hammonds	A. N. Locklear	None
1932	Mt. Moriah	S. A. Hammonds	A. N. Locklear	C. E. Locklear
1933	Piney Grove	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	S. A. Hammonds
1934	Ten Mile Centre	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	L. W. Jacobs
1935	Harper's Ferry	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	G. J. Chavis
1936	Bear Swamp	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	C. H. Maynor
1937	Deep Branch	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	Dawley Maynor
1938	Mt. Olive	S. A. Hammonds	W. D. Oxendine	L. W. Jacobs
1939	Harper's Ferry	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	C. E. Locklear
1940	Mt. Airy	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	S. A. Hammonds
1941	Berea	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	Roy Maynor
1942	Bear Swamp			
	Bethel Hill	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	G. J. Chavis
1943	Mt. Airy			
	Reedy Branch	S. A. Hammonds	J. L. Carter	T. M. Swett
1944	Pembroke First			
	Gray Pond	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Percell Locklear
1945	Piney Grove			
	Berea	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Ernest Gregg
1946	Oak Grove			
	Mt. Moriah	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Dawley Maynor
1947	Pleasant View			
	Bear Swamp	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	Harvie Brewington
1948	Mt. Olive			
	Deep Branch	L. W. Jacobs	J. L. Carter	W. Earl Robinson

# HISTORICAL TABLE

Date	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1949	Harper's Ferry			
	Cedar Grove -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	L. W. Jacobs
1950	Mt. Elim			
	Mt. Airy -----	C. E. Locklear -----	J. L. Carter -----	J. E. Hammonds
1951	Pembroke First			
	Reedy Branch -----	C. E. Locklear -----	J. L. Carter -----	W. W. Black
1952	Pembroke Camp			
	Piney Grove -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	M. A. Huggins
1953	Harper's Ferry			
	Bear Swamp -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	Arch McMillan
1954	Reedy Branch			
	Union -----	Roy Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	P. M. Dorr
1955	Mt. Airy			
	New Bethel -----	Roy Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	A. P. Stephens
1956	Harper's Ferry			
	Piney Grove -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	D. J. Long
1957	Mt. Elim			
	New Hope -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	C. E. Locklear
1958	Pembroke First			
	Reedy Branch -----	C. E. Locklear -----	J. L. Carter -----	Clyde B. Simpson
1959	Mt. Moriah			
	Bear Swamp -----	C. E. Locklear -----	J. L. Carter -----	W. R. Wagoner
1960	Island Grove			
	Deep Branch -----	Roy Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	D. M. Branch
1961	Smyrna			
	Pleasant View -----	Roy W. Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	
1962	Mt. Airy			
	Berea -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	W. R. Griggs
1963	Harper's Ferry			
	New Hope -----	L. W. Jacobs -----	J. L. Carter -----	L. P. Hardy
1964	Berea			
	New Point -----	English Jones -----	J. L. Carter -----	C. W. Maynor
1965	Mount Olive			
	Bear Swamp -----	English Jones -----	J. L. Carter -----	Ben F. Broadway
1966	Reedy Branch			
	Mt. Airy -----	C. W. Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	English Jones
1967	Harper's Ferry			
	Piney Grove -----	C. W. Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	C. M. Cummings
1968	Deep Branch			
	Pleasant View -----	A. A. Lockee -----	J. L. Carter -----	Hoyle Langford
1969	Mt. Moriah			
	Reedy Branch -----	A. A. Lockee -----	J. L. Carter -----	Sim Smith
1970	Mt. Elim			
		Roy W. Maynor -----	J. L. Carter -----	Russell Cherry

# Pastors

Table A

Church	Pastors Name and Address
ANTIOCH	—Sanford Locklear, Route 1, Pembroke 28372
BEAR SWAMP	—Tommie Swett, Route 1, Pembroke 28372
BEREA	—Jimmy L. Fox, Box 835, Pembroke 28372
BETHEL HILL	—Chesley McNeill, Route 3, Box 744, Lumberton, 28358
BEULAH	—Lawrence Maynor, Route 1, Pembroke 28372
BURNT SWAMP	—A. A. Lockee, Box 595, Pembroke 28372
CAPE FEAR	—Grady Cummings, Route 1, Pembroke 28372
CEDAR GROVE	—Chesley Hammond, Box 925, Pembroke 28372
CHEROKEE CHAPEL	—Rufus Burns, Route 4, Lumberton 28358
DEEP BRANCH	—T. M. Swett, Route 1, Rowland 28383
DOGWOOD	—L. A. Maynor, Pembroke 28372
DUNDARRACH	—Chesley McNeill, Route 3, Lumberton 28358
ELIZABETH HEIGHTS	—N. R. Morgan, Route 5, Lumberton 28358
GALILEE	—Isiah Locklear, Wakulla
GOSPEL TABERNACLE	—Carl Hunt, Jr., Route 1, Rowland 28383
GRAY POND	—Rufus Burns, Route 4, Lumberton 28358
HARPER'S FERRY	—Harvey E. Brewington, Route 1, Pembroke
ISLAND GROVE	—C. M. Cummings, Route 3, Box 148, Maxton
LEITH CREEK	—James D. Dial, Route 1, Pembroke 28372
LOWERY'S CHAPEL	—Joseph Lowry, Route 1, Raeford 28376
MOUNT AIRY	—C. S. Worriax, Route 1, Rowland 28383
MOUNT BETHEL	—C. H. Richardson, Box 456, Nashville 27856
MOUNT ELIM	—King Maynor, Route 4, Lumberton 28358
MOUNT MORIAH	—Glassie Locklear, Route 4, Red Springs
MOUNT OLIVE	—
NEW BETHEL	—Michael Cummings, Route 1, Pembroke 28372
NEW HOPE	—C. E. Locklear, Box 5, Pembroke 28372
NEW POINT	—Sanford Locklear, Route 1, Pembroke 28372
OAK GROVE	—R. W. Maynor, Pembroke 28372
PEE DEE CHAPEL	—Chesley Hammond, Route 1, Rowland 28383
PEMBROKE FIRST	—Richard Carol Ashley, Box 1061, Pembroke
PINEY GROVE	—R. W. Maynor, Route 1, Pembroke 28372
PLEASANT VIEW	—Vester Oxendine, Route 1, Fairmont 28340
REEDY BRANCH	—C. W. Maynor, Route 1, Pembroke 28372
SAINT JAMES	—Winfred Locklear, Route 1, Pembroke 28372
SMYRNA	—Wade Locklear, Route 4, Red Springs 28377
SOUTH HOKE	—Isiah Locklear, Wakulla
TABERNACLE	—Nash Locklear, Route 3, Maxton 28364
TEN MILE CENTER	—James Dial, Pembroke 28372
THOMPSON	—Nash Locklear, Route 3, Maxton 28364
UNION	—Wade Locklear, Red Springs 28377
ZION HILL	—Jay Hammonds

TABLE A — CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION

CHURCHES	Year organized as a church	Loc. (1-2-3-4-5)	Services held Y or No	If No services held on				No. of revivals held	No. of High School graduates	No. of High School graduates planning to attend college	Total Baptisms	Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	Present resident members	Present non-resident members	Grand total	No. members received from non-Baptist denominations	No. members lost to non-Baptist denominations	Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	Value of church property incl. pastor's home	Total church debt at end of this association- al year
Antioch	1901	1	N								6	—	1	30	10	45	—	—	—	500	—
Bear Swamp	1882	1	N						1	—	5	—	—	191	40	231	—	—	—	78000	—
Berea	1926	3	N						9	—	8	4	—	254	40	294	—	—	14000	1500	—
Bethel Hill	1917	1	Y						—	—	3	—	5	51	35	86	—	1	—	35000	4000
Beulah	1939	1	Y						1	—	2	—	—	43	20	63	—	—	—	50000	—
Burnt Swamp	1880	1	Y						2	—	5	—	—	68	4	72	—	—	—	10000	—
Cape Fear	1922	0	Y						1	—	5	—	—	70	—	70	—	—	—	50000	—
Cedar Grove	1930	4	N						5	—	2	—	—	35	25	60	—	—	—	15000	350
Cherokee Chapel	1941	3	N						6	—	20	—	—	34	32	66	—	—	—	15000	800
Cherokee Branch	1882	1	N						3	—	12	1	—	210	20	230	—	—	—	20000	—
Deep Branch	1882	1	N						1	—	3	—	—	57	—	57	—	—	—	7000	—
Dogwood	1951	1	N						2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	20000	—
Dundarraeh	1960	1	N						1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	20000	—
Elizabeth Heights	1951	6	N						2	—	1	—	—	48	1	49	—	—	—	35000	1408
Galilee	1951	1	N						1	—	6	—	—	45	3	48	—	—	—	20000	—
Gospel Tabernacle	1955	1	N						4	—	3	—	—	89	5	94	—	—	—	20000	—
Gray Pond	1911	1	N						3	—	3	1	—	84	—	84	—	—	—	20000	—
Harper's Ferry	1888	1	N						10	—	3	—	—	132	8	370	—	—	—	50000	—
Island Grove	1954	1	N						13	—	7	—	—	132	2	136	—	—	—	42000	—
Leith Creek	1949	1	N						5	—	1	—	—	21	4	25	—	—	—	—	—
Lowry's Chapel	1956	1	N						2	—	10	—	—	318	67	385	—	—	—	4000	—
Mount Airy	1915	1	N						4	—	38	5	—	317	130	447	—	—	—	100000	—
Mount Bethel	1958	1	N						9	—	9	13	—	60	60	120	—	—	—	90000	—
Mount Bethel	1924	1	N						15	—	5	—	—	56	5	61	—	—	—	15000	—
Mount Elm	1892	1	N						2	—	1	—	—	63	—	63	—	—	—	10000	—
Mount Moriah	1886	1	N						3	—	3	1	—	205	25	230	—	—	—	23000	—
Mount Olive	1910	1	N						1	—	8	—	—	164	27	191	—	—	—	65000	—
New Bethel	1945	1	N						2	—	3	—	—	115	2	117	—	—	—	50000	1000
New Hope	1947	1	N						15	—	15	—	—	47	—	47	—	—	—	—	—
New Point	1947	1	N						3	—	6	—	—	11	—	11	—	—	—	7500	—
Oak Grove	1886	1	N						—	—	—	—	—	42	—	42	—	—	—	50000	—
Pee Dee Chapel	1891	1	N						1	—	1	—	—	13	—	13	—	—	—	50000	9000
Pembroke First	1895	3	Y						2	—	1	—	—	87	50	137	—	—	—	50000	—
Piney Grove	1880	1	Y						5	—	4	—	—	130	6	136	—	—	—	40000	3400
Pleasant View	1904	1	N						2	—	5	—	—	265	10	275	—	—	—	85000	—
Reedy Branch	1881	1	N						6	—	12	—	—	170	30	200	—	—	—	60000	—
Saint James	1902	1	N						1	—	10	—	—	157	25	182	—	—	—	50000	—
Smyrna	1888	1	N						2	—	9	—	—	66	—	66	—	—	—	16000	4500
South Hoke	1967	1	N						2	—	2	—	—	89	—	89	—	—	—	40000	—
Tabernacle	1964	1	N						4	—	2	—	—	74	2	76	—	—	—	1500	—
Ten Mile Center	1924	1	N						2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Thompson	1965	6	N						1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Union	1927	1	N						3	—	7	—	—	176	—	176	—	—	—	—	—
Zion Hill	1919	2	N						4	—	27	—	—	184	15	199	—	—	—	1500	—

NOTE — N=No — Y=Yes

# Sunday School Superintendents

Table B

Church	Sunday School Superintendent's Name and Address
ANTIOCH	Mitchell Carter, 2409 Olive Dr., Lumberton 28358
BEAR SWAMP	Carl Lowry, Post Office, Pembroke 28372
BEREA	Benny Sampson, Box 215, Pembroke 28372
BETHEL HILL	Lee Edwin Hammonds, Route 3, Lumberton 28358
BEULAH	Clarence Locklear, Route 1, Rowland 28383
BURNT SWAMP	Charles Maynor, Rte. 4, Box 334, Lumberton 28358
CAPE FEAR	Grover Gibbs, 115 Lock Trail, Fayetteville 28301
CEDAR GROVE	Ray Chavis, Route 3, Box 469, Fairmont 28340
CHEROKEE CHAPEL	T. W. Stewart, Route 1, Box 451, Chadbourn
DEEP BRANCH	Luther E. Dimery, Route 1, Box 61, Pembroke 28372
DOGWOOD	James A. Hunt, Route 1, Rowland 28383
DUNDARRACH	Proctor Locklear, Jr., Rte. 4, Box 727, Fayetteville
ELIZABETH HEIGHTS	Edward Locklear, 803 E. 5th St., Lumberton
GALILEE	—
GOSPEL TABERNACLE	David Locklear, Route 1, Rowland 28383
GRAY POND	John L. Chavis, Route 1, Laurinburg 28352
HARPER'S FERRY	Delton R. Locklear, Route 1, Pembroke 28372
ISLAND GROVE	William C. Chavis, Route 1, Box 173-B, Pembroke
LEITH CREEK	Carl Locklear, Route 1, Maxton 28364
LOWERY'S CHAPEL	Kenneth Oxendine, Route 1, Box 252, Pembroke
MOUNT AIRY	John L. Carter, Route 1, Box 266, Pembroke 28372
MOUNT BETHEL	Herbert J. Richardson, Route 2, Box 153, Macon
MOUNT ELIM	Clifont Dial, Route 4, Red Springs 28377
MOUNT MORIAH	Woodrow Locklear, Route 3, Box 475, Lumberton
MOUNT OLIVE	Joseph H. Locklear, Route 3, Lumberton 28358
NEW BETHEL	Clifton Simmons, Route 2, Clinton 28328
NEW HOPE	Roscoe Jacobs, Route 1, Box 79, Bolton 28423
NEW POINT	Calvin Jacobs, Fayetteville
OAK GROVE	Jesse Mumford, McColl, S. C.
PEE DEE CHAPEL	James Clark, Route 1, Box 215B, Clio, S. C. 29525
PEMBROKE FIRST	Elmer W. Hunt, P. O. Box 717, Pembroke 28372
PINEY GROVE	J. W. Hunt, Route 3, Fairmont 28340
PLEASANT VIEW	Odel Hunt, Route 1, Box 598, Fairmont 28340
REEDY BRANH	Joseph Brooks, Route 3, Fairmont 28340
SAINT JAMES	Homer L. Spaulding, Route 1, Box 413, Hallsboro
SMYRNA	Roosevelt Scott, Route 4, Box 148, Lumberton 28358
SOUTH HOKE	James A. Hunt, Route 1, Box 134, Red Springs 28377
TABERNACLE	Melvin Locklear, Route 1, Pembroke 28372
TEN MILE CENTER	F. H. Epps, Route 1, Lumberton 28358
THOMPSON	Dewey Owens, Route 4, Lumberton 28358
UNION	Hosbie Locklear, Route 3, Lumberton 28358
ZION HILL	J. W. Locklear, Shannon

TABLE B — THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	Nursery enrol.	(8 yrs and under)	Beginners (4-5)	Primaries (6-8)	Juniors (9-12)	Intermediates (13-16) enrol.	Young People single (17-24)	Young People married (17-24)	Adults (25-34)	Adults (35-64)	Adults (65 up)	Extension dept.	Cradle roll enrol.	(home ministry)	Young people away (17-24)	Fellowship Bible classes enrol.	General officers	Enrollment of mission(s) of church	Total enrolment	Average weekly Sunday School attendance	No. new Sunday School classes organized past year	Church V.B.S. enrolment	Mission V.B.S. enrolment	Total V.B.S. enrolment
Antioch			10	12	15	11	5	—	12	18	20	18	33	—	—	—	12	—	95	67	—	71	—	71
Bear Swamp	24	26	35	46	110	33	23	20	64	30	10	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	356	149	—	111	—	111
Berea	18	16	23	57	33	30	19	4	12	18	10	—	—	—	—	3	—	244	126	—	65	—	65	
Bethel Hill		5	4	11	11	12	17	2	14	14	2	—	—	2	—	9	—	111	65	—	34	—	34	
Beulah			12	8	17	20	13	10	18	18	10	—	—	—	—	3	—	96	65	—	58	—	58	
Burnt Swamp		8	10	20	40	32	20	18	8	30	7	—	—	—	2	14	—	129	70	—	146	—	146	
Cape Fear			16	20	22	20	24	—	10	27	4	—	—	—	—	10	—	153	93	—	50	—	50	
Cedar Grove			16	20	22	20	24	—	10	27	4	—	—	—	—	10	—	153	93	—	50	—	50	
Cherokee Chapel			7	9	15	18	12	18	14	18	5	—	—	—	—	8	—	149	70	—	96	—	96	
Deep Branch			7	9	15	18	12	18	14	18	5	—	—	—	—	4	—	149	70	—	96	—	96	
Dogwood			8	15	12	18	20	20	25	10	2	—	—	—	—	12	—	190	156	—	64	—	64	
Dundarach			6	6	7	18	8	12	6	14	1	—	—	—	—	3	—	140	69	—	—	—	—	
Elizabeth Heights			12	14	20	24	20	40	34	19	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	80	43	—	—	—	—	
Galilee			8	12	20	16	40	—	7	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	123	80	—	—	—	—	
Gospel Tabernacle			21	16	12	21	21	17	—	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	130	100	—	—	—	—	
Gray Pond			8	4	10	11	15	11	8	7	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	127	45	—	—	—	—	
Harper's Ferry	13	31	30	48	50	54	—	—	26	82	20	—	—	—	—	—	—	110	45	—	—	—	—	
Island Grove	15	23	27	40	35	25	—	30	42	42	3	—	—	—	3	—	4	358	237	1	—	67	67	
Leith Creek	7	9	13	14	15	6	—	—	3	8	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	237	250	—	—	152	152	
Lowry's Chapel			15	—	10	—	14	—	20	41	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	88	75	—	—	35	35	
Mount Airy	29	20	46	48	50	31	—	23	37	41	30	—	5	—	—	—	—	67	75	—	—	—	—	
Mount Bethel			22	10	37	18	43	10	20	37	10	—	—	—	—	20	2	362	250	—	—	—	—	
Mount Elim	5	30	20	35	35	20	—	—	20	20	10	—	—	—	—	4	—	201	150	—	—	42	42	
Mount Moriah			11	20	23	17	32	—	18	18	—	—	—	—	—	12	—	198	150	1	—	107	107	
Mount Olive	4	9	15	22	13	10	8	8	10	21	11	—	—	—	—	20	—	145	125	—	—	182	182	
New Bethel	9	15	24	25	26	29	2	2	10	40	24	—	—	—	—	6	—	210	129	—	—	105	105	
New Hope	4	15	21	40	25	15	30	30	15	60	24	—	—	—	—	2	—	255	142	—	—	125	125	
New Point	27	20	21	40	29	—	42	42	10	41	36	—	—	—	—	12	—	256	186	—	—	116	116	
Oak Grove			6	6	12	14	10	—	—	30	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	85	85	—	—	50	50	
Pee Dee Chapel			5	—	10	15	20	—	—	20	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	70	70	—	—	48	48	
Pembroke First	8	11	12	17	12	5	6	6	8	37	2	—	—	—	—	3	—	121	72	—	—	32	32	
Piney Grove	10	23	15	12	17	15	12	12	30	35	20	—	—	—	—	7	—	189	132	—	—	100	100	
Pleasant View			19	25	62	35	25	—	107	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	289	225	—	—	100	100	
Reedy Branch	21	13	30	60	49	39	30	30	42	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	187	187	—	—	110	110	
Saint James	16	16	11	17	11	22	21	21	33	30	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	187	187	—	—	85	85	
Smryna			25	35	35	25	25	—	45	15	10	—	—	—	—	5	—	240	188	—	—	110	110	
South Hoke			25	25	25	30	30	—	35	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	187	150	—	—	85	85	
Tabernacle	15	8	16	14	13	18	18	7	4	8	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	130	104	—	—	—	—	
Ten Mile Center	4	6	15	14	11	11	10	4	16	8	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	130	100	—	—	55	55	
Thompson Union	6	1	14	14	21	24	9	9	26	17	10	—	—	—	15	—	9	61	51	—	—	98	98	
Zion Hill			14	14	21	24	20	3	29	25	5	—	—	—	—	—	13	176	176	—	—	98	98	

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Table C

Church	Training Union Directors' Name and Address
ANTIOCH—	
BEAR SWAMP—	Ray Brooks, P. O., Pembroke 28372
BEREA—	Welton Lowery, High Sch Rd., Pembroke 28372
BETHEL HILL—	Cecil Hunt, Route 1, Shannon
BEULAH—	
BURNT SWAMP—	
CAPE FEAR—	B. F. Mumford, Fayetteville 28301
CEDAR GROVE—	Mrs. Doris Locklear, Rt. 2, Box 400, Fairmont 28340
CHEROKEE CHAPEL—	
DEEP BRANCH—	Clyde Brewington, Route 4, Lumberton 28358
DOGWOOD—	
DUNDARRACH—	
ELIZABETH HEIGHTS—	
GALILEE—	
GOSPEL TABERNACLE—	
GRAY POND—	Fred Harding, Box 304, Pembroke 28372
HARPER'S FERRY—	Manford Locklear, Route 1, Rowland 28383
ISLAND GROVE—	Lacy E. Locklear, Rte. 2, Box 380, Pembroke 28372
LEITH CREEK—	
LOWERY'S CHAPEL—	
MOUNT AIRY—	Miss Vernie Locklear, Route 1, Pembroke 28372
MOUNT BETHEL—	
MOUNT ELIM—	
MOUNT MORIAH—	
MOUNT OLIVE—	Wilbur S. Locklear, Route 1, Maxton 28364
NEW BETHEL—	
NEW HOPE—	
NEW POINT—	Jimmy L. Oxendine, Route 6, Lumberton 28358
OAK GROVE—	
PEE DEE CHAPEL—	
PEMBROKE FIRST—	
PINEY GROVE—	James Sampson, Jr., Route 2, Rowland 28383
PLEASANT VIEW—	Vinson Hunt, Route 1, Box 598, Fairmont 28340
REEDY BRANCH—	Grady Chavis, Route 6, Lumberton 28358
SAINT JAMES—	
SMYRNA—	Willard Haggans, Route 5, Lumberton 28358
SOUTH HOKE—	Roy Locklear, Route 1, Box 136, Red Springs 28377
TABERNACLE—	
TEN MILE CENTER—	Miss Glenda Revels, Rt. 1, Box 630, Lumberton
THOMPSON—	
UNION—	Arnold Strickland, Route 1, Lumberton 28358
ZION HILL—	Alice Locklear, Route 2, Box 53A, St. Pauls 28354

### TABLE C — TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	Nursery (8 years and under)	Beginners (4-5)	Primaries (6-8)	Juniors (9-12)	Intermediates (13-16)	Young People single (17-24)	Young People married 17-24)	Adults (25-34)	Adults (35-64)	Adults (65 up)	General officers	Enrollment of mission(s)	Total ongoing T.U. enrollment	Ongoing average weekly attendance	Number of new unions organized past year	New number orientation-cum-enrollment	Church leader training-cum-enrollment	Member training projects-cum-enrollment	Grand total-on-going & cumulative T.U. enrollment
Antioch																			
Bear Swamp																			119
Berea		3	16	27	28	34					1		24	75					35
Bethel Hill											2		119						35
Bethel													35	14					14
Beulah																			
Burnt Swamp																			
Cape Fear		6	7	15	9	4							64	23					64
Cedar Grove																			
Cherokee Chapel																			
Deep Branch			10	12	10	6					2		48	48					
Dogwood																			
Dundarrach																			
Elizabeth Heights		8	12	15	10	15	15	20					95	90	1				95
Galilee																			
Gospel Tabernacle		5	6	10	5	15	6	4	2				49	23					49
Gray Pond			3	6	5	4	6	6	2				50	28					50
Harper's Ferry	6			15	15	8	6	10			2		56	56					56
Island Grove																			
Leith Creek																			
Lowry's Chapel													81	81					81
Mount Airy		12	15	24		9	9												
Mount Bethel																			
Mount Elim																			
Mount Moriah																			
Mount Olive	3		10	6							5		31	31					31
New Bethel		12	13	30	15		10				5		100	80					100
New Hope																			
New Point																			
Oak Grove																			
Pee Dee Chapel																			
Pembroke First																			
Piney Grove						10													
Pleasant View			12	20	12	14		32		2			44	38					44
Reedy Branch		5	5	10	4	6		14			5		85	60					85
Saint James											4		48	30					48
Saint James																			
Smyrna		8	11	10	12	35		20			18		60	35					60
South Hoke				9	7	4		8	5				43	43					43
Tabernacle																			
Ten Mile Center	4	12	5	6	4	5	10				5		55	26					55
Thompson		5	7	7	15		5						30	28					30
Union		2	7	12	15	17	3	12	10				70	45					70
Zion Hill	2																		

TABLE D -- CHURCH MUSIC

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## TABLE E — BROTHERHOOD

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# **Woman's Missionary Union Directors**

Table F

Church	Woman's Missionary Union Director's Name and Address
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ANTIOCH—

BEAR SWAMP—Margaret Locklear, Rte. 1, Box 192, Pembroke 28372

BEREA—Mary Bell, Pembroke 28372

BETHEL HILL—

BEULAH—Viletter Strickland, Rte. 1, Rowland 28383

BURNT SWAMP—Mrs. A. A. Lockee, P. O. Box 595, Pembroke 28372

CAPE FEAR—Mrs. Audie M. Hunt, 1717 Railroad St., Fayetteville

CEDAR GROVE—

CHEROKEE CHAPEL—Mrs. Lois Sutton, Chadbourn 28431

DEEP BRANCH—Lilly Mae Brewington, Rte. 4, Lumberton 28358

DOGWOOD—

DUNDARRACH—

ELIZABETH HEIGHTS—Mrs. Mable Revels, Rte. 1, Lumberton 28358

GALILEE—

GOSPEL TABERNACLE—

GRAY POND—

HARPER'S FERRY—Mrs. Ethel L. Oxendine Locklear, Rt. 1, Pembroke

ISLAND GROVE—

LEITH CREEK—

LOWERY'S CHAPEL—

MOUNT AIRY—Mrs. Winfred Locklear, Rte. 1, Pembroke 28372

MOUNT BETHEL—Mrs. Annie L. Lynch, Rte. 1, Box 254, Hollister

MOUNT ELIM—Mary Miller, Rte. 1, Red Springs 28377

MOUNT MORIAH—Mrs. Reba Sanderson, Rte. 3, Lumberton 28358

MOUNT OLIVE—

NEW BETHEL—

NEW HOPE—

NEW POINT—Catherine Hunt, Rte. 6, Lumberton 28358

OAK GROVE—

PEE DEE CHAPEL—

PEMBROKE FIRST—Mrs. Essie D. Locklear, Wellon St., Pembroke

PINEY GROVE—Gertrude Hunt, Rte. 1, Fairmont 28340

PLEASANT VIEW—Daisy Hunt, P. O. Box 53, Fairmont 28340

REEDY BRANCH—Mrs. Evie Chavis, Rte. 1, Rowland 28383

SAINT JAMES—

SMYRNA—

SOUTH HOKE—

TABERNACLE—

TEN MILE CENTER—Mrs. Josephine Lucente, Lumberton 28358

THOMPSON—

UNION—Mrs. Bonnie Strickland, Rte. 6, Box 200, Lumberton 28358

ZION HILL—Annie P. Strickland

**TABLE F — WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION**

Churches	Sunbeam Nurseries organizations	Sunbeam Nursery enrollment	Beginner Sun-beam Band org.	Beginner Sun-beam Band enrol.	Primary Sun-beam Band org.	Primary Sun-beam Band enrol.	Ungraded Sun-beam Band org.	Ungraded Sun-beam Band enrol.	Junior GA organizations	Junior GA enrollment	Intermediate GA organizations	Intermediate GA enrollment	Ungraded GA organizations	Ungraded GA enrollment	High school YWA organizations	High school YWA enrollment	College YWA organizations	College YWA enrollment	Career girls YWA organizations	Career girls YWA enrollment	Ungraded YWA organizations	Ungraded YWA enrollment	WMS organization	WMS enrollment	Mission (s) of Church (org.)	Mission (s) of Church (enrol.)	Grand total organizations	Grand total enrollment	No. mission study groups	No. mission prayer groups	No. mission action groups
Antioch																															1
Br. Swp. Berea																															1
B. Hill																															
Beulah																															
Bt. Swp.																															
C. Fear																															
C. Grove																															
C. Grove																															
Cher. Ch.																															
Deep Br.																															
D'wood																															
Dun'dh																															
E. Hts.																															
Galilee																															
Gos. Tab.																															
Gos. Tab.																															
G'ry Pnd.																															
H'ps F'y																															
Is. Grove																															
L'th Gr'k																															
Low. C'pl																															
Mt. Airy																															
Mt. Be'h																															
Mt. Elm																															
Mt. Mor.																															
Mt. Olive																															
New B't'l																															
New B't'l																															
New Ho.																															
New Pt.																															
New Pt.																															
Oak Gro.																															
P. D. Chp.																															
Penn. 1st																															
Piney Gr.																															
Pl. View																															
R'y. Bra.																															
St. James																															
Smyrna																															
S. Hoke																															
Ton'cle																															
10 Mile																															
Thompson Union Hill																															

# Church Treasurers

Table G

Church	Church Treasurer's Name and Address
ANTIOCH	—Clinton Thomas, Route 3, Lumberton 28358
BEAR SWAMP	—Brantley Chavis, Route 2, Pembroke 28372
BEREA	—William X. Oxendine, Box 316, Pembroke 28372
BETHEL HILL	—James H. Hammonds, Rte. 3, Box 744, Lumberton
BEULAH	—Mrs. Berlene Clark, Rte. 1, Rowland 28383
BURNT BWAMP	—Billy R. Maynor, Rte. 4, Box 446, Lumberton
CAPE FEAR	—B. F. Maynor, 130 N. Plymouth St., Fayetteville
CEDAR GROVE	—Mrs. Josephine Strickland, Box 312, Fairmont
CHEROKEE CHAPEL	—T. W. Stewart, Rte. 1, Box 451, Chadbourne
DEEP BRANCH	—C. A. Sampson, Rte. 4, Lumberton 28358
DOGWOOD	—James A. Hunt, Rowland 28383
DUNDARRACH	—
ELIZABETH HEIGHTS	—Alfred Tyler, Rte. 5, Lumberton 28358
GALILEE	—Delphia Locklear, Rte. 4, Box 202, Red Springs
GOSPEL TABERNACLE	—Mrs. Rosie Mae Dial, Rte. 1, Box 39, Maxton
GRAY POND	—Mrs. Aermma Clark, Rte. 3, Laurinburg
HARPER'S FERRY	—John E. Cummings, Rte. 1, Rowland 28383
ISLAND GROVE	—William C. Chavis, Rte. 1, Pembroke 28372
LEITH CREEK	—Dior Locklear, Route 1, Maxton 28364
LOWERY'S CHAPEL	—Kenneth Oxendine, Rte. 1, Box 252, Raeford
MOUNT AIRY	—John L. Carter, Rte. 1, Box 266, Pembroke 28372
MOUNT BETHEL	—Fletcher Lynch, Rte. 1, Box 254, Hollister
MOUNT ELIM	—Freeman Locklear, Rte. 1, Red Springs 28377
MOUNT MORIAH	—M. L. Jacobs, Rte. 1, Lumberton 28358
MOUNT OLIVE	—Tessie Lee Hunt, 312 E. 15th St., Lumberton 28358
NEW BETHEL	—Romey Simmons, Route 1, Clinton 28328
NEW HOPE	—Mrs. Rena J. Jacobs, Rte. 1, Box 85, Bolton
NEW POINT	—Keirns Morgan, Rte. 6, Lumberton 28358
OAK GROVE	—Kayola Clark, Rte. 3, Box 281, Laurinburg
PEE DEE CHAPEL	—Mrs. Maggie Clark, Rte. 1, Clio, S. C.
PEMBROKE FIRST	—Billy Maynor, Rte. 1, Pembroke 28372
PINEY GROVE	—Kelmer Hunt, Rte. 3, Fairmont 28340
PLEASANT VIEW	—Venson Hunt, Route 1, Fairmont 28340
REEDY BRANCH	—Oscar Chavis, Rte. 6, Lumberton 28358
SAINT JAMES	—James R. Mitchell, Rte. 1, Hallsboro 28442
SMYRNA	—Clarence Hammonds, Rte. 5, Lumberton 28358
SOUTH HOKE	—
TABERNACLE	—Grove C. Oxendine, Box 65, Pembroke 28372
TEN MILE CENTER	—Mrs. H. C. Revels, Rte. 3, Lumberton 28358
THOMPSON	—Mrs. Mable S. Dial, Rte. 6, Box 277, Lumberton 28358
UNION	—Arnold Strickland, Rte. 7, Lumberton 28358
ZION HILL	—Odell Locklear, Rte. 2, Box 53A, St. Pauls

### TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES AND STEWARDSHIP

CHURCHES	Number of titlers	Budget prom. or em- phasis used during past year.				Cooperative Program goal as percentage of total budget	Associational missions goal percentage of total budget	Total titlrs, all offerings, and special gifts other than money	All other receipts	Total receipts	Money borrowed this year	Church staff salaries	Local missions expenditures	Money paid out on new construction this past year	Debt retirement	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
		None	Forward Program	Growth in Christian steward	Other												
Antioch	61											420	143	1276		596	2435
Bear Swamp												1600	300	4775		375	4775
Berea	2	X			12	2	1103		1103			7144		11327		4102	23173
Bethel Hill	4						20579		20579			1610		1690		610	3910
Bethel	4	X			1	1	4910		4910			600		1950		940	4790
Burnt Swamp	10						6500		6500			1206		2350		1128	4678
Burnt Swamp	8	X			3	1	5000		5000			620				620	1240
Cape Fear	3						4420		4420			650		1400		650	2700
Cedar Grove	8						4420		4420			600		1913		215	3170
Cherokee Chapel	5				5	5	3000		3000		350	110		5800		1222	7972
Deep Branch	5				5	5	2681		2681		800						
Deep Branch	5				5	5	9533		9533					175		272	927
Dogwood																	
Dundarrach	1				5	1											
Elizabeth Heights	15	X						4500	4500			1140		1408		1155	3733
Galilee	5						1486		1486			2200		5229		7429	
Gospel Tabernacle	14						10028		10028			1775		3603		679	7064
Gray Pond		X										750		50		75	875
Harper's Ferry	15			X	3	5	19403		19403			4648		2692		2845	10186
Island Grove	10	X			5	5	15589		15589			7800				1020	8820
Leith Creek							1100		1100			600		2000		400	1000
Lower's Chapel	20						2363		2363			2075		5774		3438	13949
Mount Airy	15	X			2	3	16583		16583			1705		1210		400	3315
Mount Bethel	3			X			6130		6130			1820		18402		1019	21729
Mount Elim	6	X			1		20400		20400			1520		3000		410	4939
Mount Moriah	6						6534		6534			1150		4132		1605	7037
Mount Olive					10	5						1700		1700		2749	6641
New Bethel	6			X			9455		9455		11834	3010		9390		3961	16361
New Hope	5						8769		8769		6000	438		4098		1545	7887
New Point	5	X					1889		1889		1000	1500		751		454	2685
Oak Grove	10						1373		1373			1420		350		3185	3185
Pee Dee Chapel	5				5		7733		7733			4229				1844	6073
Pembroke First	10													17072		787	21940
Piney Grove	10													880		1098	12478
Pleasant View	10				1	2	10592		10592		10000	4081		5000		2500	11067
Reedy Branch	6	X	X		5	5	13983		13983			3567		5000		50	2250
Saint James	5				5	5	6600		6600		700	1300		100		1206	3420
South Hoke	20	X			15	15	668		668			1440		5774		239	8865
Smyrna	6						5985		5985			900		7626		239	8865
Ten Mile Center		X	X				6468		6468			755		3802		1120	5677
Tabernacle		X	X				6776		6776			900				2029	2939
Thompson	1	X	X				2625		2625			300		1925		366	2191
Union	20	X	X				6715		6715			3900		550		2000	6450
Zion Hill	4						5932		5932			1935		2959			4894

## ON EXPENDITURES

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# Chairmen of Deacons

Table I

Church	Chairmen of Deacons' Name and Address
ANTIOCH	—Clinton Thomas, Route 3, Lumberton 28358
BEAR SWAMP	—Clennie Maynor, Pembroke 28372
BEREA	—Sanford Sampson, Box 216, Pembroke 28372
BETHEL HILL	—S. V. Emanuel, Route 1, Lumberton 28358
BEULAH	—McKinley Strickland, Route 1, Rowland 28383
BURNT SWAMP	—W. O. Maynor, Box 397, Pembroke 28372
CAPE FEAR	—James Groves, 216 Eleanor Ave., Fayetteville
CEDAR GROVE	—
CHEROKEE CHAPEL	—C. H. Hammonds, Route 1, Chadbourn
DEEP BRANCH	—Bowman Freeman, Rte. 2, Box 413, Pembroke 28372
DOCWOOD	—Haynes Hunt, Rte. 1, Rowland 28383
DUNDARRACH	—
ELIZABETH HEIGHTS	—Edward Locklear, 803 E. 5th St., Lumberton
GALILEE	—Donald D. Locklear, Rte. 1, Maxton
GOSPEL TABERNACLE	—David Locklear, Rte. 1, Rowland 28383
GRAY POND	—
HARPER'S FERRY	—Dr. English Jones, Pembroke 28372
ISLAND GROVE	—Willard Strickland, Rte. 1, Box 43, Pembroke 28372
LEITH CREEK	—
LOWERY'S CHAPEL	—Roscoe Lowery, Rte. 1, Raeford 28376
MOUNT AIRY	—Joseph Locklear, Rte. 1, Pembroke 28372
MOUNT BETHEL	—Percy Richardson, Box 4, Hollister
MOUNT ELIM	—Bruce Oxendine, Rte. 1, Rowland 28383
MOUNT MORIAH	—G. H. Locklear, Rte. 1, Lumberton 28358
MOUNT OLIVE	—Stinson Revels, Rte. 3, Lumberton 28358
NEW BETHEL	—Clifton Simmons, Rte. 2, Clinton
NEW HOPE	—Manley Jacobs, Rte. 1, Bolton 28423
NEW POINT	—Earlie Hunt, Rte. 2, Box 296, Lumberton 28358
OAK GROVE	—Smiley Chavis, Rte. 3, Laurinburg
PEE DEE CHAPEL	—James C. Clark, Rte. 1, Clio, S. C.
PEMBROKE FIRST	—Grady Holmes, Box 254, Pembroke 28372
PINEY GROVE	—W. O. Hammonds, Rte. 1, Pembroke 28372
PLEASANT VIEW	—
REEDY BRANCH	—Grady Chavis, Rte. 6, Lumberton 28358
SAINT JAMES	—Homer L. Spaulding, Rte. 1, Hallsboro
SMYRNA	—Clarence Hammonds, Rte. 5, Box 403, Lumberton 28358
SOUTH HOKE	—
TABERNACLE	—James W. Chavis, Rte. 4, Lumberton 28358
TEN MILE CENTER	—F. H. Epps, Rte. 1, Lumberton 28358
THOMPSON	—Rudolph Dial, Rte. 6, Lumberton 28358
UNION	—Carlie Jacobs, Rte. 4, Lumberton 28358
ZION HILL	—

TABLE I — SPECIAL INFORMATION

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